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GOVERNOR SIGNS BILL GUARDING SECRET ORDERS

Measure Has Particular Application to Negro Elks and Pythians.

TERMINALS PURCHASE GIVEN HIS APPROVAL

Waycross Charter Bill Is Also Approved---Governor Brown Appoints Two Judges and One Solicitor---Ashburn City Court Vacancy Filled--Governor Spends Busy Night.

Governor Brown spent a busy night last night, and when his work was through a number of important measures had received his signature, and the great mass of legislation acted upon at the last session of the legislature had been approved or vetoed.

Of paramount interest was the bill designed to protect the rituals, signs, insignia and badges of the fraternal orders of Georgia, which have suffered from the encroachments of certain negro societies.

The bill which was introduced in the legislature and was passed provided for the safeguard of those fraternities in Georgia that have precedence in age and original charters from encroachments by imitators, preventing members of imitating societies from wearing their badges, using their signs and rituals, and making violations a misdemeanor. This bill applies particularly, it is said, to the negro Elks and the Knights of Pythias, and it is stated has no effect on the negro Masons and Odd Fellows.

Governor Brown was approached by delegations of negroes, who urged him not to sign the measure, and received many telegrams on the subject. He was also strongly urged to sign the measure by members of the white orders it affected.

After carefully considering arguments on both sides, Governor Brown signed the bill.

Signs Terminals Resolution.

He also signed the resolution for the purchase of the terminals property in Chattanooga for the Western and Atlantic road. This resolution was introduced by Hooper Alexander. It provides for the purchase of about 87 acres of land for approximately $65,000.

The Waycross charter bill was also signed. The clause in the charter providing for a twelve months' residence before a man is allowed to vote, however, received long consideration by the governor. When he signed it he wrote on the bill that while not agreeing with the clause, because it was apparently a dangerous precedent to establish, and inconsistent with the established policy, yet he would give it his approval because he could not withhold his signature from a bill involving a new charter that meant the advancement of the best interests of the city.

He appointed Hon. J. C. Bennett judge of the city court at Hazlehurst and Hon. James R. Grant, Jr., solicitor.

He also filled the vacancy in the city court at Ashburn, Ga., made vacant by the resignation of Judge W. A. Hawkins, appointing Hon. John B. Hutchinson to that position.

NEGRO MAIL CLERK ARRESTED IN AUGUSTA

Charged With Embezzling a Decoy Letter---Suspected for Months.

Augusta, Ga., August 17.—Frank J. Stewart, a negro railway mail clerk, running between Augusta and Atlanta, was arrested this afternoon by Deputy United States Marshal J. P. Murry, charged with embezzling a decoy letter. He was sent to the county jail tonight, and will be carried to Macon tomorrow for a preliminary hearing before Commissioner Erwin. The postoffice inspectors have been working on the case against Stewart for the past six months, and Inspectors R. E. Barry, A. Britton and R. C. Bannerman, will give evidence at the preliminary. Registered mail has been missed on the Georgia road on a number of occasions recently, and the officers claim that they will be able to trace much of the stolen goods to Stewart.

DAWSON MAN CUT IN NECK

Trouble Over Placing Account With Collection Agency.

Dawson, Ga., August 17.—(Special.) Last evening James T. Williams, proprietor of the Williams Furniture Company, here, was seriously and perhaps fatally cut in the neck with a pocket-knife by Grenwood Kennedy, local representative of the Standard Oil Company.

Kennedy was angered by Williams placing his account with a collecting agency and the controversy arose over this.

The attending physician states that Williams is resting quietly this afternoon, but his condition is critical.

A warrant charging assault with intent to murder has been sworn out against Kennedy, and he is now in jail awaiting commitment trial.

LITTLE GIRLS WHO SWIM LIKE SWANS ON THE LAKE



Fair Swimmers Make Good Records.

Alexa Sterling, age 11, and Nora Sterling, age 9, the two young daughters of Dr. and Mrs. Alex W. Sterling, have won the title to being the foremost children swimmers in the vicinity of Atlanta. Accompanied by their father, the well-known specialist, who swam with them in the water out in East lake, the Country Club reservation of the Atlanta Athletic Club, and followed in a rowboat by Mrs. Sterling, they swam from the boathouse to the dam, at the far end of the lake, back by way of the float and to the boathouse again, only touching at the float, a distance of half a mile, the course they took.

This is a feat which few of the more daring swimmers care to undertake, and when it is considered that both are girls, mere children, and neither has been able to swim over six weeks, the feat is a most remarkable one.

They have been taught to swim by Dr. Sterling, a most accomplished swimmer, and from him they have learned to husband their strength, swim with alternating strokes, to rest certain muscles, and, above all, never to get rattled, but take things easy.

Almost any afternoon, now, this happy family, who are living at East Lake, may be seen in the water.

They invariably start from the boat-

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WAVES OF HEAT STILL RAMPANT OVER THE SOUTH

Highest Temperatures Are Reported From the Southwestern Section.

MERCURY AT FORT WORTH REACHED 111 DEGREES

Cotton Growers Are Rejoicing, as They Say the Intense Heat Is Rapidly Killing the Boll Weevil---Vegetation in Louisiana Wilted Under the Scorching Heat.

Memphis, Tenn., August 17.—The heat wave which swept the country from coast to coast Monday is still rampant, and today new records were established. From all over the south and southwest come reports of intense heat. The cotton growers are rejoicing over the heat wave, as they claim that it is rapidly destroying the boll weevil.

From reports reaching here tonight, Fort Worth, Texas, was the hottest city in the south or southwest. The government thermometer went as high as 111 degrees, while instruments in the business district registered as high as 120 degrees. The mercury climbed as high as 100 degrees in many other Texas cities, and at Denison it reached 106, breaking all previous records.

Although the mercury only reached 99 degrees at 2 o'clock this afternoon at Vicksburg, the records of the weather office show that it was the hottest day in the past seven years.

108 Degrees at Natchez.

At Natchez 108 degrees was recorded at 3:20 o'clock, while at Jackson the mercury stood at an even 100.

Not since July 1, 1901, has the heat been so intense throughout middle Arkansas. At Little Rock a temperature of 105 degrees was recorded, and two prostrations were reported.

Vegetation throughout the Shreveport territory of Louisiana wilted under the scorching heat today, the maximum of 104 degrees being reported at 4 o'clock this afternoon. All Tennessee is in the grasp of the hot wave, and the weather bureau thermometer here today recorded a maximum temperature of 95 degrees at 4 o'clock. A cooling breeze, starting late in the day, gave promise of relief before morning.

Some Relief at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., August 17.—Severe warm weather throughout the southwest gave way to a limited extent tonight before cooling breezes. The day was the most trying Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma had experienced for years. Despite the excessively high temperature, however, there were comparatively few prostrations.

Two deaths were recorded in Kansas City today.

Oklahoma reported excessive heat.

Government thermometers at McAlester registered 113; at Vinita 110; Ardmore 111; at Oklahoma City, Guthrie and Tulsa 106.

In Kansas City and Western Mis-

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SHUBERTS GAIN AID OF MORRIS IN DIXIE FIGHT

Combination Will Battle for Strong Foothold in This Section.

AROUND NEW THEATER BATTLE MAY CENTER

Morris Tells A. Thalheimer That Jake Wells Has Acknowledged He Has Booking Franchise--Texas Circuit Will Stick to the Klaw & Erlanger Fold.

New York, August 17.—(Special.)—The battle of the southern theatrical situation is to be staged right here on Broadway. It is not mimic, but a war of mastery and supremacy, and, as matters now stand, indications point to a victory for the Sam & Lee Shubert aggregation.

It was only a few days since that Klaw & Erlanger held the stage as the star attraction, but their ultimatum, requiring the complete elimination of the Shuberts, came like a bombshell and has necessitated further negotiations for the season's attractions in the south.

The Two Propositions.

Klaw & Erlanger's proposition was, according to report, that the Shuberts' attractions be not staged by any one of the southern managers throughout the entire south. To this some of the southern managers demurred. The Klaw & Erlanger contingent then declared it must be one or the other. If the Shuberts were to share the field they preferred to withdraw entirely.

A majority of the southern managers opposed Klaw & Erlanger's withdrawal. The Shuberts, while desiring a clear field, were content with their foothold, and were abiding their time. They believe now that that time has arrived, and, from reliable sources, it may be stated, have placed an elaborate and alluring proposition before the southerners.

They have not demanded an exclusive field, and are willing to stage such productions in the southern territory as will show them a profit and be acceptable to the various managers. Therefore, as the situation now stands, the theatrical magnates have had their say, and the question is up to the south. The entire matter will be threshed out at the postponed meeting of the southern managers.

Morris With the Shuberts.

That the Shuberts and Klaw & Erlanger, however, may not have the field entirely to themselves was made plain tonight when the million-dollar vaudeville combination of William Morris & Co. announced their intention of vigorously contesting for a stronger southern foothold. Morris & Co., however, declare they will not antagonize the Shuberts, but will work hand in hand with them. Should Klaw & Erlanger eventually secure the bulk of

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ACCIDENT NIGHT IN AUTO FIELD; MANY ARE HURT

Four Accidents Are Reported in or Near the City.

TWO MACHINES COLLIDE FAR OUT PEACHTREE ST.

Dr. Miller B. Hutchins' Car Strikes Cadillac of Mr. Cross. Several Other Minor Accidents Reported Over the Country.

Last night was "auto accident night," damages to cars and shakeups for occupants being reported from four sections of the county, five people being injured in one collision.

As a result of a side-swipe collision on Peachtree street, in the afternoon at 6 o'clock, near the corner of Fifteenth street, the occupants of both cars were thrown out, the cars put out of commission, and five of the passengers were so bruised and shaken up as to need medical attention, which was given them by Dr. George H. Noble, into whose house they were carried.

Those injured were:

Mrs. T. D. Bradley, of 111 Grant street, severely bruised and shaken up.

Mrs. J. L. Gary, her daughter, contused and badly bruised.

Herman Bradley, aged 9, hurt about the wrist and body.

Sarah Bradley, aged 3, hurt about the head.

Miss Inez Conway, of No. 223 Woodward avenue, hurt about the face and head.

Unhurt:

J. L. Gary and his daughter, Louise, age 6.

John Wall, his chauffeur.

Dr. J. H. Conway, No. 229 Woodward avenue, at the head of the Keely institute.

Miss May Conway, aged 20, and

Miss Nellie Smith, of Gainesville.

That some one was not seriously hurt, or possibly killed, is regarded as wonderful by the large crowd which the wrecked cars and news of the accident soon collected.

How Accident Occurred.

How the accident occurred is concurred in by the occupants of both cars. Each claims to have been going at a very low speed at the time the accident took place, and this is given as the cause that their injuries were no more serious.

It seems that the car, a Lambert, 20-horse power, occupied by Dr. Conway and party, was going out to Brookwood with the Gary car following.

Where Fifteenth street runs into Ansley Park the Conway car turned out to make the circle with which to turn around and return to town.

John Wall, driving the Gary car, a Ford, 20-horse power, thought the Conway car was going into the park, so kept straight on. When he saw the Conway car turning back into Peachtree he opened his car up and tried to jump by.

The Conway driver states he did not know the Gary car was so close, and was dumbfounded to see it right up on him.

Before he could throw on his brakes or reverse his car he had crashed into the Gary car on the right hand rear wheel.

Fall Into the Street.

The impact sent those on the rear of the Gary car out into the street, and it was this fall which contused and bruised.

All of the occupants of the Conway car were thrown out of that runabout, too, but luckily only one of them was very badly bruised.

Charles Ryan, the cashier of the Fourth National bank, came by in his touring car, and as soon as Dr. Noble had examined them to see no bones were broken, he took them into his car and carried them home.

The two disabled cars were soon surrounded by a half-dozen or more, and the reports of the accident were quickly over the city, it being rumored that several persons were killed.

The bruised and injured were all carried home in a cab at night, and at last accounts were reported as doing well. Dr. Noble stated he did not expect any serious injuries from their bruises.

Auto Strikes Cadillac.

Another accident occurred late in the afternoon when the machine of Dr. Miller B. Hutchins, of Fifteenth street, struck the Cadillac of Mr. Cross, who lives on the Howell Mill road.

Mrs. Cross and her son, a little boy, were slightly bruised, the lady's forearm being hurt, and the leg of the boy being bruised.

The accident happened near the Brookwood bridge, Dr. Hutchins coming into town and Mr. Cross coming down a side road, with the intention of going out into the country. The drivers of both cars tried to avoid collision, but there was a slight hesitation, a wobbling of the cars, and Dr. Hutchins' car struck that of Mr. Cross. The car was only slightly damaged, and the injuries to the occupants were slight.

Autoists reported two other accidents in the suburbs of the city, but the injuries, it was said, were only minor ones.

SETH LOW AND ROBERT BACON, PROBABLE NEW AMBASSADORS



Robert Bacon, ex-secretary of state, who is now in England, maintains strict silence with regard to the report that he is to succeed Henry White as American ambassador to France. It is understood, however, that, after a visit to Scotland, Mr. Bacon will go to Paris to conclude arrangements for the taking over of the residence now occupied by Mr. White, and that he expects to move in on January 1. Seth Low, former mayor of New York City, also is silent upon the persistent and apparently well-founded rumor that he is to succeed Whitelaw Reid at the Court of St. James. It is known that President Taft has been looking for a good man for the post ever since Dr. Eliot declined to accept it. It is generally believed in Washington that Mr. Low will accept, and that he will visit the president at Beverly soon to discuss the matter.

SOLICITOR GENERAL HILL IN TILT WITH J. W. MOORE

A lively tilt between Solicitor General Hill and Attorney John W. Moore served to enliven a rather dull session in the criminal division of the superior court yesterday afternoon. The two exponents of Blackstone engaged in an interchange of near compliments, in which both showed feeling, and it was only when the court interposed that wonted calm again settled down over the court room.

Attorney Moore had just announced his intention of arguing a case in which the evidence had just been completed.

"I can't see how any man who knows anything at all about law can find anything in this case to argue," said Solicitor Hill, rising to his feet. "I repeat, gentlemen, that the evidence in this case is so plain that I fail to see how anyone claiming to know anything about law will attempt to argue this case."

When Attorney Moore rose a few moments later he began by saying: "Gentlemen of the jury, my friend, Mr. Hill, has told you that I know nothing of law. I am saved the trouble of telling you the same about him, for it is a matter of common cognizance in this court that he not only does not know, but has never known—"

Solicitor Hill was on his feet, apparently excited, and in the act of "striking back," when Judge Roan interposed sternly:

"Mr. Moore," he said, "the court will not longer allow remarks of such character to be made with impunity in this court room. This has gone far enough, and I warn both you gentlemen to desist."

"But, Mr. Hill began it, your honor, and I have the right to answer in kind," said the attorney.

"The court does not recognize your right to do any such thing after it has ruled otherwise. Proceed with your argument."

The attorney smiled pleasantly and turned to the jury.

"Gentlemen of the jury, this is a case in which there are a number of points which are of interest to any man of active mind. Of course," and, with a smile as innocent as that of a new-born babe, he looked squarely into the eye of the solicitor, "there are men who find nothing, absolutely nothing, in it. But, I repeat, that, to any man of active and healthy mind, it is full of interest."

The solicitor moved in his seat, the sheriff knocked loudly for order, while the judicial countenance of the court wore a frown of deep vexation. But the attorney, seemingly all unconscious, proceeded with his argument, and the incident was closed.

60 FEET IN AIR, HE FACES DEATH

Fred Tippin Receives Electric Shock.

While Engaged Repairing Roof Young Tinning Employee Has Narrow Escape From Frightful Death When Piece of Tin Crosses Live Wire.

Fred L. Tippin, aged 19 years, of 16 Tifton street, and a son of Patrolman A. J. Tippin, narrowly escaped a frightful death yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, when, repairing the roof of Dr. Charles O. Smith, of 315 Capitol avenue, a long strip of roofing tin was blown by the wind across a live electric wire, and shocked him.

Leaning over the edge of the roof, a distance of fully 60 feet from the ground, young Tippin received a shock that burned his hands dreadfully, and tore a hole in one of his shoes. He fell back on the roof and was only saved from falling by a boxed gutter. With the strip of tin still in his hands, being unable to let go, young Tippin bounced about on this dangerous verge of death until his coworker, Robert T. Drake, who also received a shock and fell a distance of some ten feet to the ground, climbed up the ladder and wrenched his hands away.

Injuries Are Painful.

He was taken down the ladder by Drake and another person, and rushed to the Grady hospital in the ambulance, which arrived while Tippin was still writhing on the roof. His injuries, while painful and serious, will not be permanent, and it is thought that unless uremia sets in, he will be able to be out in a few weeks.

Drake's injuries were slight.

Fred Tippin is a son of Patrolman A. J. Tippin, for years a member of the police force. Only two days ago

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FRED TIPPIN.
He Had a Narrow Escape from Death.

VETERAN DIES BY DROWNING

John E. Collins, who was an inmate of the Soldiers' home, was drowned yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock.

It seems that Collins had gone for a walk, unkown to the attendants at the home, and against their wishes, as he had frequent nervous attacks that robbed him of the control of his faculties. A search was made as soon as his absence was discovered and he was found lying in a small brook about a mile from the home. Just how the accident happened is not known, but it is supposed that he was attacked and fell into the brook and being unable to help himself was drowned.

Collins was born in Horry county, South Carolina, and served with distinction in Company E of the Twenty-sixthe South Carolina volunteers in the civil war. e had been an inmate of the home here for several years.

The body was taken to Poole's undertaking establishment and an inquest will be held by the coroner this morning at 10 o'clock.

Collins had no relatives here and there will be no funeral arrangemens made until his relatives in Valdosta, Ga., are heard from.

MANY COUNTIES VOTE TO CLOSE DISPENSARIES

South Carolina Prohibitionists Make Decided Gains.

ACTIVE PART PLAYED BY ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE

Liquor Traffic Election Held in 21 of 42 Counties --- Dispensary Wins in Few Counties, While in All Other Counties Prohibition Gets Big Majorities.

Charleston, S. C., August 17.—The unofficial returns from the elections held in twenty-one of the so-called "wet" counties of South Carolina today for the purpose of allowing the voters of each county to choose between prohibition and the county dispensary system indicates that the prohibitionists have won victories in fifteen of these counties.

Complete returns from some precincts not reported tonight may change the result in two or three counties, but the probabilities are that prohibition has carried in Abbeville, Bamberg, Barnwell, Berkeley, Calhoun, Colleton, Dorchester, Fairfield, Hampton, Kershaw, Lee, Lexington, Orangeburg, Sumter and Williamsburg counties. The dispensary has won in Aiken, Charleston and Richland counties.

No Excitement.

The election was without excitement or special incident in any county and a small vote was polled. The majorities for prohibition, according to the present returns, which are in most cases practically complete, range from 14 in Calhoun county to 982 in Orangeburg county.

The largest majority for the dispensary is in Charleston county, where it received 1,525 votes against 305 for prohibition.

One-half of the state was already dry, and the act under which today's election was held was a compromise measure adopted at the last session of the legislature to defeat a bill providing for state-wide prohibition. The general belief is that the prohibitionists will again move the passage of such a law at the next legislature next January.

The election today was on the question of voting on the dispensary, prohibition having been decreed since August 2 last under the bill providing for the election, which permitted the counties then "wet" to vote back their dispensaries if they so desired.

Hot Campaigned Waged.

For the first time the Anti-Saloon League took an active interest in the prohibition movement in this state, and not since the stirring political contests of the early nineties, when Benjamin R. Tillman was first entering upon his spectacular political career, has such a campaign been witnessed as that waged by the Anti-Saloon League leaders, church folk an "anti-dispensaryites" against the return to the dispensaries.

Public speakings were conducted in each of the 21 counties; preachers and temperance leaders organized house-to-house canvassing brigades; the daily and weekly newspapers of the state were filled with arguments favorable to prohibtion.

Those who favored the retention of the dispensaries displayed very little energy in influencing the election. Very little, if any, money was expended by either side at the polls today, according to reports.

Impetus to State-Wide Fight.

The gains made by the prohibition-

Weather Prophecy:
PARTLY CLOUDY.

Local Data.

Georgia—Partly cloudy, probably local showers Wednesday and Thursday; increasing southwest and west winds.

Lowest temperature	73
Highest temperature	91
Mean temperature	82
Normal temperature	76
Rainfall in 24 hours, inches	.00
Excess since first of month, inches	3.73
Excess since January 1, inches	6.47

Reports from Various Stations.

Stations and State of Weather	Temperature 7 p.m.	Temperature High	Rain 12 h'rs inches.
Atlanta, cloudy	84	91	.00
Abilene, clear	98	102	.00
Augusta, pt. cloudy	86	94	.00
Boston, rain	58	62	1.76
Buffalo, cloudy	62	70	.04
Baltimore, cloudy	66	72	.00
Charleston clear	86	94	.00
Charlotte, pt. cl'dy	78	86	.00
Chattanooga, clear	82	90	.00
Chicago, clear	70	74	.00
Cincinnati, clear	78	82	.00
Corpus Christi, clear	86	92	.00
Detroit, cloudy	70	78	.00
Dodge, clear	94	102	.00
Galveston, clear	84	94	.00
Huron, clear	80	86	.00
Jacksonville, clear	90	98	.00
Jupiter, pt. cloudy	82	92	.00
Key West, cloudy	82	84	.00
Knoxville, clear	78	84	.00
Los Angeles, cloudy	74	86	T.
Memphis, clear	90	96	.00
Mobile, clear	92	94	.00
Montgomery, pt. c.	90	98	T.
New Orleans, clear	94	96	.00
New York, cloudy	62	64	.22
Norfolk, pt. cloudy	72	78	.00
Omaha, pt. cloudy	82	88	.00
Palestine, clear	98	106	.00
Portland, Me., rain	58	58	.54
Raleigh, clear	76	86	.00
Rapid City, clear	84	86	.00
Savannah, pt. cloudy	90	94	.00
San Francisco, clear	66	76	.00
St. Louis, pt. cloudy	88	88	.00
St. Paul, clear	80	84	.00
Tacoma, clear	72	74	.00
Tampa, cloudy	82	84	.00
Thomasville, clear	86	98	.00
Vicksburg, clear	96	..	.00
Wilmington, clear	78	88	.00

T. indicates inappreciable rainfall.
C. F. von HERRMANN,
Section Director.

Barefoot Sandals for Summer Comfort



Infants' Barefoot Sandals, light sole, 3 to 8, $1.00
Child's Sandals, Welt Soles, 8 1-2 to 11, 1.50
Misses' Sandals, Welt Soles, 11 1-2 to 2, 1.75
Women's Sandals, Welt Soles, 2 1-2 to 6 2.00
Same in men's sizes 2.50

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All sizes. Prices from 90 cents to $1.50.

BYCK'S

Pronounced Bix

lists in today's elections are expected to lend impetus to the fight for statewide prohibition, which is expected to be opened with earnest at the approaching session of the legislature, which convenes in January. For the past two years there has been a strong majority in the house for state-wide prohibition, but in the senate there has been a majority of from two to three votes against the measure.

The prohibitionists declare that the representatives of those counties which by today's elections declared against the sale of intoxicants will not dare cast their votes in January against the prohibition bill. They say that the state-wide bill will be passed by a safe majority in both houses. Answering this claim, the dispensaryites assert that there will come a change of feeling with the resultant loss of revenue from the dispensaries.

Anyway, the fight is on in dead earnest, and it remains to be seen whether another southern state will be added to the vast territory declared dry within the past few years.

DR. PIERCE NOMINATED TO RUN FOR ALDERMAN

His Friends Then Outvoted by J. W. Maddox Supporters.

At a mass meeting held in the Fifth ward last night, at the corner of Wallace and Marietta streets, Dr. G. Y. Pierce was nominated as a candidate for alderman in the coming primary.

Several speeches were made by the councilmanic candidates, explaining their platforms, while the crowd was assembling. The name of Dr. J. Y. Pierce was then brought forward by Jesse Lee and was indorsed in speeches by John Welch and William Johnson.

After this vote, there was quite a demonstration made by the friends of J. W. Maddox, who had previously announced himself for alderman, and a suggestion was made to the chair that a vote be taken and an attempt be made to select a candidate that would be unanimously approved by those in attendance. This was done and it was found that Mr. Maddox's friends outnumbered Dr. Pierce's supporters by about six.

Nevertheless, the friends of Dr. Pierce say that he will make the race, regardless, as they claim that representative citizens from other wards are anxious to see him in the race.

NO UNWRITTEN LAW FOR KENTUCKY JUDGE

He Refuses to Release Man Who Killed Wife's Lover.

Henderson, Ky., August 17.—Argyll Lett, who last Friday shot and killed Durwood Denton, was today bound over to the circuit court, Judge Hart, in a preliminary hearing having refused to follow the action of the coroner's jury in exonerating and freeing the slayer. Lett declared he acted in self-defense. Denton, he said, had been intimate with his wife. A suit case full of letters, alleged to have been sent by Mrs. Lett to Denton, were introduced at the hearing today and the signatures identified by the prisoner.

HOLD THE POULTRY SHOW IN THE AUDITORIUM

The Georgia State Poultry Association has secured the use of the Auditorium-Armory for the second or third weeks in January, when their annual poultry show, combined with a bench show, will be held in Atlanta. This brings to a focus the movement recently launched at a meeting of poultry fanciers held in the New Kimball recently, when this association was organized. Secretary C. O. Harwell has been instructed to ascertain what dates, along with the time mentioned, will not conflict with the other shows previously arranged for Charleston, Charlotte and Greenville.

NO DANGER OF LYNCHING.

Judge Fite Decides Not to Call Special Term of Court.

Cartersville, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—Reports of an alleged lynching party caused Judge A. W. Fite to consider the advisability of calling a special term of Bartow county superior court to try R. J. and John Worthington, the white men charged with the criminal assault upon Miss Elrod, of Euharlie.

Judge Fite stated today that there was no reason for holding a special term of court, as the officers are in charge of the situation and there seems no danger of lynching.

Miss Elrod, the alleged victim of the Worthingtons, has recovered from her terrible experience. She is a member of a prominent family in her community.

WANTED IN COLUMBUS.

Man Arrested in New York on Complaint Atlanta People.

Columbus, Ga., August 17.—(Special.) Macon Broome, a young man arrested in New York on complaint of Atlanta people, is also wanted here. It is alleged that Columbus people cashed his drafts for various sums and the papers in due time came back. C. W. Misell, W. G. Love and Ernest Dismukes have sworn out warrants against him, having each cashed worthless drafts for him.

SUTTON CASE VERDICT SOON TO BE ANNOUNCED

Finding of the Court of Inquiry Submitted to the Navy Department.

Washington, August 17.—Early announcement will be made by the navy department of the findings of the court of inquiry which has been holding its sessions at Annapolis to ascertain the cause of the death of Lieutenant James N. Sutton, Jr., of the marine corps, at that place nearly two years ago.

Today the judge advocate general of the navy, Captain Edward H. Campbell, was handed a copy of the findings of the court by Major Henry Leonard, the judge advocate of the court of inquiry.

Captain Campbell placed the result of the court's work informally before Acting Secretary of the Navy Winthrop. The latter and Captain Campbell are looking into the testimony and the findings thereon before taking final action.

THE WEATHER TODAY: FAIR IS PROMISED

Weather Man Says Warm Weather Will Continue.

"Fair and continued warm Wednesday," is the local forecast for today, while "showers Wednesday" is what is promised for Georgia by the local weather forecaster.

"This hot weather certainly goes to some folks' head," said the oGpher as he mopped his fevered brow. "Now, I have a friend who is some class at hand-ball, and is athletic in all particulars. The other day, after finishing a couple of sets of this fast and fascinating game he took his plunge and dressed—nearly—to go back to the office. He was stopped, just in time, for he had forgotten a very necessary part of his wearing apparel. Luckily he was stopped and shown the error of his dress before he had gotten on the street."

BELCHER NOMINATED AS COUNCIL CANDIDATE

J. E. Belcher, president of the Belcher-Guillat Plumbing Company, was last night nominated as candidate for councilman at a rally held by the third ward voters. About five hundred were present and several speeches were made. Mr. Belcher at first declined the nomination, but hi supporters were so enthusiastic that he at last agreed to run. He is opposed by G. W. Harrison, who is running to succeed himself.

R. J. CATCHINGS DIES; HIS FUNERAL TODAY

R. J. Catchings died yesterday at his residence, 66 Cone street. He is survived by his wife, two sisters, who live in Mississippi, one sister-in-law, Mrs. D. T. Latimer, and one brother-in-law, R. A. Montieth. The funeral services will take place at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and interment at Hollywood.

EIGHTH WARD VOTERS HOLD MEETING TONIGHT

A meeting of the Eighth ward voters will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the store of Lee Walker, corner of Tenth and Peachtree, for the purpose of considering a candidate for council from this ward in the primary election.

Hughes in Macon.

Macon, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—Congressman Dudley M. Hughes was in Macon today talking over his first experiences as a Georgia representative in the national law-making body. As a director of the state fair here, he was specially interested in bringing the president here on the occasion when all Georgia will want to see Taft and the fair. In his short time at home since the session of congress was over he has seen many of the progressive farmers of his district.

"The crops are spotted," he said. "Here and there fine crops have been made. In some places the grass got away with the farmer and he suffered. In others, for one reason and another, the crop was not as good as one could hope for. The rain has been unusually heavy this summer, but where it did harm in some places, it did good in others.

"As for me, I am just now engaged in making speeches to the colored help I will need in gathering the crop. It is certain that enough cotton has been made to make demands for labor in the fields very strong."

English Bride for King Manuel.

Lisbon, August 17.—Although no official announcement concerning the matter has been made, the newspapers insist that King Manuel's visit to England in the autumn is connected with his betrothal to Princess Alexandra, daughter of the Duke of Fife.

Eyes Trouble Gen. Booth.

London, August 17.—General Booth, of the Salvation Army, who started on July 24 in an automobile for a religious crusade in the provinces, has been compelled to return to London on account of an eye trouble. His general health, however, is excellent.

KILLED COUSIN; ASSAULTED AUNT

Third Degree Forces Harris to Confess.

Motive in Both Cases Was Robbery -- Harris Waylaid Aunt in Field, Almost Killed Her and Then Took What Money She Had.

Baltimore, Md., August 17.—Oliver Herman Harris, who some days ago acknowledged having murderously assaulted his aunt, Mrs. Clara Harris, this afternoon confessed that on July 22 he murdered his cousin, Henson Poole, whose terribly decomposed body was found on Saturday afternoon in a closet in the little cabin in which he lived alone near Rockville, Montgomery county.

The confession, which followed two hours' sweating by Baltimore detectives—Harris having been brought here largely for that purpose, it is said—was taken down by a stenographer, and a typewritten copy of it was signed by Harris. In it he says that he went to Poole's cabin about 5 a. m., July 22, to buy some whisky and that a quarrel arose over the question or whether he or Poole put water in the liquor.

How He Killed Him.

The confession continues:

"He came toward me and I knocked him down. When he got up he grabbed for the rifle. I then grabbed the rifle and shot him and hit him with a hammer. I did not want him to make any noise and draw any crowd. I shot him twice more while he was on the mattress. I then dragged him to the closet and shut the door."

Harris further said that he took two quarts of whisky and $52 in money, which Poole had, together with his keys, and went away. Subsequently, he went to a fair at Rockville and to Washington, where the money taken from Poole was spent. Poole not having been seen for about three weeks his father became uneasy and on Saturday began the search, which ended in the finding of the body o fhis son in his home.

While Stolen Money Lasted.

While the stolen money lasted Harris seems to have given no thought to the possible consequences of the crime. Finally realizing something of his position, however, and needing money with which to get away from the neighborhood his thoughts turned to his aunt, Miss Clara Harris. He knew that she usually kept some money at her home, but took it with her whenever she left there.

Sending her word that a relative was ill and needed her, Harris waylaid her in a field and almost killed her. Robbery alone was the motive for this crime, Harris says. Mrs. Harris was shot and beaten very much as was Poole This, and the fact that Harris appeared to have been the last person to see Poole alive threw upon him the suspicion which this afternoon brought out his confession. It is understood that he will be taken back to Rockville tomorrow.

BETTER FREIGHT RATES WANTED BY THE WEST

Matter Will Be Considered by Trans Mississippi Congress.

Denver, Col., August 17.—Coupled with the possibility of renewed hostilities between the Pinchot and the Ballinger forces, the trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress, in session here, promises to become the battlefield of a fight for better rate regulations for the west.

Assertion that the fight on railroad rates may break out at any time, and become the predominant factor in the deliberations of the congress, was made today by Colonel Ike Pryor, of San Antonio, Texas, chairman of the executive committee. He declared Galveston and Denver business men would bring in a resolution demanding an equitable revision of rail and ocean rates between New York and Denver.

Thomas F. Walsh and John Barrett, director of the Bureau of the American Republics, were the principal speakers of the afternoon session.

Insurance was the topic at the evening session, and the principal address was delivered by Samuel Bosworth Smith, of Chattanooga, Tenn., president of the American Life Insurance Company.

He said the people of the middle west and trans-Mississippi states paid in premiums to life insurance companies $171,000,000. He attasked the tax laws imposed in various states, and particularly the tax on corporations imposed by congress.

DEAF AND DUMB MUTES ARE WANTED BY NAGEL

To Operate Tabulating Machines in Making Up Census.

Washington, August 17.—Believing that deaf and dumb mutes would make good operators for the puncturing and tabulating machines to be used in making up the returns for the next census, Secretary Nagel, of the department of commerce and labor, is inclined to appoint them to such positions if capable ones apply for the places.

STOCKDELL IS GIVEN SILVER SERVICE TOILET

The last meal held at Camp Scott was the occasion of a pleasant surprise to Quartermaster Stockdell, in the shape of a magnificent silver service toilet and shaving set, presented to him as a testimonial of the splendid work that he has done during the shoot. Captain Claude Smith made the presentation speech, and Quartermaster Stockdell, though much surprised, gave a well-worded reply. His assistants on the range were also each presented with a pair of cuff buttons. The team is in splendid practice and great things are expected of them at Camp Perry.

Dr. Soule Is Chosen.

Portland, Ore., August 17.—The American Association of Farmers' Institute Workers today confined themselves almost wholly to the technical points of the work. The following officers were elected: President, G. A. Putnam, Toronto, Ont.; vice president, A. M. Soule, Athens, Ga.; secretary and treasurer, John Hamilton, Washington, D. C.

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Cleanses, beautifies and preserves the teeth and purifies the breath

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SHUBERTS GAIN AID OF MORRIS

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the southern bookings, Morris & Co. will aid the Shuberts in fighting them.

Klaw & Erlanger declined to be quoted on the matter, declaring that to do so would furnish their opponents with ammunition. The Shuberts declared themselves satisfied with the outlook, and referred your correspondent to Jake Wells, who, when seen at the Albany hotel, declared that the situation was too delicate a topic to discuss. He admitted, however, that the situation was by no means settled, and he could not say when it would be. It was not entirely with him that the matter rested.

The Atlanta House Involved.

To sum up, the south must take Klaw & Erlanger exclusively. They want a clear field and will not compete with the Shuberts in the same houses. The Shuberts want an exclusive field, but seem to realize that their strength in the south is not such as would warrant them taking a stand similar to their opponents.

Their willingness to work in the field along with Klaw & Erlanger will doubtless add much to their standing with the southerners, while on the other hand the attitude of Klaw & Erlanger is not expected to curry favor.

William Morris & Co. are negotiating with an Atlanta house to stage their attractions and expect to add others to their southern circuit. They are allies of the Shuberts and inclined to cooperate with them whenever possible. The advent of Morris & Co. as an ally of the Shuberts is expected to add materially to the strength of the Shuberts throughout the entire country.

Stick to K. & E.

"The Texas circuit will remain in the Klaw & Erlanger fold, and you can take that as certain," said A. Thalheimer, representative of A. Weis, who reached Atlanta last night from New York for the purpose of attending the meeting of the southern theater managers, which he understood was to be held today, not having received notification of the postponement.

Mr. Weis controls theaters at Memphis, Charleston, Savannah, and practically dominates the field in Texas and in Oklahoma. In all, he has a circuit of some 200 theaters, including many strong houses. Mr. Thalheimer, not having the time to spare to remain in Atlanta until next Monday, left at midnight for New York, and will not return for the meeting.

"It is a business proposition pure and simple," he said. "If Shuberts could offer us what Klaw & Erlanger can, there might be some sense in leaving them, but they can't.

Promises, Lovely Promises.

"All they can give us, all that they can offer the southern managers is promises, lovely, alluring ones, it is true, but built on no foundation, and promises which the sober man will realize can never be fulfilled. We want attractions in our houses, not high-sounding letters, and then dark nights.

"Last season, for instance, Shuberts had some of our best holiday dates booked, and they threw us down. I tell you, they haven't the attractions, and between Klaw & Erlanger and the Shuberts, we have got to take Klaw & Erlanger, because they 'can deliver the goods.' They have already given us 110 nights. How many do you think Shuberts could give us? They will have some attractions, and some good ones, too, but a number of them wouldn't do for small towns, or even for large southern ones. Take the 'Blue Mouse,' 'Salome' plays, and that sort, of which Shuberts have quite a few, what chance would we have to play them without hurting our business?

"Besides this, Klaw & Erlanger deserve a great deal of credit. They have simplified the booking business. They have guaranteed productions. They have made a haphazard business a systematic one. They protect the producer and the house manager, too. More than that, they have been honorable in their dealings with the houses. They have played fair with them. Never have they thrown down a house with which they have been doing business.

Take the Grand Theater.

"Take your own house, the Grand. Mr. DeGive and the Klaw & Erlanger people have gotten along well with each other for a long time. Several times other people from Atlanta have come to the Klaw & Erlanger offices and have tried to get their bookings, but they would not stab Mr. DeGive. They had furnished him bookings for years, they were his friend, he was theirs, and they turned all offers down cold.

"I do not believe the Shuberts will come south. I do not think the southern managers can afford to break with Klaw & Erlanger, and I am certain they will see matters in that light. Between Klaw & Erlanger and Shuberts there is no choice. It is a necessity. It would be death for us to turn down Klaw & Erlanger, and I think it would be death to them. The open door is impossible, and we don't want it.

"You have too many theaters in Atlanta, anyway. I saw William Morris a week ago in New York, and he told me he had the booking franchise for the new Atlanta theater, and had a letter from Jake Wells, acknowledging this fact. Either Mr. Weis will make terms with him, or Morris will play his vaudeville here. If Morris is blocked out, I believe there will be a big legal battle as a result."

MEXICAN WOMEN JOIN IN RIOTING

Politics Hot in the Southern Republic.

Anti-Diaz Riots Occur at Morelia---Ten Thousand People Took Part in the Demonstration for Reyes---No Casualties Reported.

Mexico City, August 17.—According to a special dispatch from Morelia, capital of the state of Michoacan, to Mexico Nuevo, the official organ of the party of opposition, anti-administration riots occurred in that place last night.

A party of Corralistas attempted to hold a political meeting, and the adherents of Reyes drove them from the hall and converted the gathering into an opposition rally. Ten thousand people took part in the Reyes demonstration, according to the telegram. Many of them were women, who shouted "viva Reyes, down with Corral," from the balconies of nearby houses.

This same paper in today's issue reported a condition of unrest throughout the state of Yucatan, where the people are crying out against so-called "administration" governor.

No casualties were reported as a result of the Morelia disturbance.

MORTUARY

Ezekiel Banks, Douglasville.

Douglasville, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—Ezekiel Banks, one of the pioneer citizens of this county, died at his home near here last night at the advanced age of 67. He leaves five sons and two daughters besides his widow.

The funeral and interment will occur at Prays church, in this county, tomorrow.

Judge Moon, Milledgeville.

Columbus, Ga., August 17.—(Special.) Judge J. M. Moon, until a few months ago school commissioner of Muscogee county, died today at Milledgeville, Ga., after a long illness.

Mrs. Pearl Park.

Mrs. Pearl Park, aged 22 years, wife of J. A. Park, died at her residence, 459 Washington street, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. She is survived by her husband; her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jack; six sisters, Misses Myrtle, Anna and Maud Jack, Mrs. L. O. Montgomery, Mrs. C. L. Nicholson and Mrs. O. O. Hull, and one brother, W. H. Jack.

Mrs. V. L. Chappell, Dublin.

Dublin, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—Mrs. V. L. Chappell died at her home in this city yesterday morning, after an illness of only a few days. She is survived by her husband and six little children. Mrs. Chappell was a Miss Poland before her marriage.

Terry Davis.

The funeral services of Terry Davis, who died Sunday, will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from Greenberg, Bond & Bloomfield's chapel. The interment in West View.

Max Ramsey, Louisville, Ga.

Louisville, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—Max Ramsey, a young man about 28 years of age, died here after being confined to his home for one year. He was the son of the late Dr. W. A. Ramsey and Mrs. Helfen C. Ramsey. His mother still survives him. The remains were interred at Providence church.

Death of Infant.

The two-weeks-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davis died yesterday in Abbeville, S. C. The body will be received here this morning and will be carried to Harry Poole's parlors to await burial.

Thomas F. Humphries.

Thomas F. Humphries, aged six months, the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Humphries, died yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the residence, 362 Whitehall street. The body will be sent to Washington, Ga., this afternoon. The funeral and interment will take place Thursday.

Short Items of Interest

Dr. Charles A. Wikle, who has resigned from the board of water commissioners, wishes it stated that he has not moved permanently from Atlanta, but has changed his residence only temporarily on account of his health. He says he is still a citizen of Atlanta, and will carry on his drug business at his old stand, corner of Lee and Gordon streets.

Henry Kissel, aged 70 years, who is a tailor by trade, when brought to the station house yesterday afternoon on a charge of drunk and disorderly conduct, raised such a loud yell when a roll of $121 was taken from his pocket for safe-keeping, that the police court crowd was almost thrown into a panic. Kissell, when placed in the cell, continued to yell and to give vent to his feelings broke out one of the window panes in the prison hall.

Privates L. A. Frey and W. S. Shults, of company M, Seventeenth infantry, stationed at Fort McPherson, after entering the recorder's court room yesterday afternoon to witness the matinee performance, were arrested for being disorderly and imprisoned. Frey sat back on the bench with Schultz without removing his cap. Police Bailiff George T. Cornett approached the soldiers to remind Frey of hi scap, when Schultz is alleged to have grown angry because Bailiff Cornett talked to them with his hands thrust in his trousers pockets.

Gordon Hiles and Alex W. Smith yesterday filed a petition for charter under the name of Southern Trading Company. The main office of the company is to be located in Atlanta. The capital stock is $10,000, with the privilege of increasing it to $25,000. The object for which the company is formed is handling and dealing in real property.

The Atlanta Alumni chapter of the Kappa Alpha fraternity held a meeting in the Equitable building Monday night for the purpose of reorganizing the Atlanta Alumni chapter. The chapter will meet again Monday, August 23, to elect officers for the ensuing year.

New Officers for Volunteers.

Macon, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—C. M. Adams is first lieutenant of the Macon Volunteers, and A. McAlister Isaacs is second lieutenant. The change came as a result of the resignation of Henry Jones from first lieutenant's place. Both young men are popular with the company, and will do much to push forward with the excellent standard of military tactics which has so long prevailed with this company.

GREAT DEFICIT FACING GEORGIA

According to J. R. Anderson of Savannah.

Anderson Says Treasury Will Be Short $1,000,000 at End of the Year Owing to the Acts Passed by 1907 and 1908 Legislatures.

Savannah, Ga., August 17.—(Special.) That the state treasury will be confronted with a deficit of approximately $1,000,000 at the end of the present year, because of the laws passed by the 1907 and 1908 legislatures, was the statement made by Representative J. Randolph Anderson in an interview today. He states that the deficit of $182,000 on January 1 will be swelled by the common school fund to $430,000.

He states that on August 10 he had a conference with the comptroller general and treasurer, and that according to the figures given by them he believes, from the present outlook, that the deficit will reach the million mark by the end of the year, under the operation of the 1908 laws.

NOVEL METHOD USED TO ROB GOVERNMENT

Mint Employee Allowed Melted Gold to Splash on Clothes.

Los Angeles, Cal., August 17.—Charged with one of the rarest offenses committed against the government—that of abstracting gold from a mint—Charles W. Dakin, a trusted employee of the mint at Denver, Calo., was arrested in this city yesterday by a secret service agent. Dakin is said to have made a confession of his guilt. He is alleged to have sold gold to local dealers, disposing of it in small lots.

Denver, Colo., August 17.—Charles W. Dakin had been employed as a smelter in the local mint for the four years previous to taking a month's leave of absence June last. Failing to report for duty at the end of his vacation an investigation started. He was located at Los Angeles and further inquiry disclosed that he had been selling refined gold there. In all he had disposed of $600 worth.

A method was discovered by which an employee allowed the melted product to splash onto his clothing while at work in the mint and then scrape it off and keep it for his own use.

Dakin has a wife and family here.

THREE SEISMIC JARS FELT AT ACAPULCO

Ocean Receded Many Feet Along the Entire Shore Line.

Mexico City, August 17.—A delayed dispatch received today from Acapulco says three severe earthquake shocks were experienced there yesterday. The ocean dropped far below its usual level, and along the entire shore line of the port the beach was exposed for a distance of 30 feet. The shocks are believed to be the same as those recently registered at the Washington observatory. The people of Acapulco are still living in the open, not having ventured to return to their homes since the disastrous shock of a fortnight ago. The relief committee is distributing galvanized iron and lumber for construction purposes, and clothing and food.

FRENCH OPERA TO OPEN IN HONOR OF MRS. TAFT

Decision Follows Expression of Regret From the President's Wife.

New Orleans, August 17.—Although the date for the opening of the French opera season in New Orleans has not been announced, it is probable that an effort will be made to give the first performance while the Lakes-to-the-Gulf Deep Waterways Association is in session here on October 30, November 1 and 2. In this event it is planned to extend a special invitation to Mrs. Taft to join President Taft here and that a gala performance be given in her honor. During her visit here last winter Mrs. Taft expressed regret that there was no French opera.

FICKERT IS LEADING FRANCIS J. HENEY

For the Republican Nomination for District Attorney.

San Francisco, Cal., August 17.—Returns from the municipal primary election held today indicate that Charles Fickert, for district attorney, is running far ahead of Frances J. Heney fr the republican nomination. Thirty-eight precincts out of 294 give Fickert 985, Heney 200.

STRIKE IS SETTLED.

The Union Hatmakers Will Return to Work.

New York, August 17.—An agreement for the settlement of the strike which has kept between 18,000 and 23,000 union hatmakers out of employment for seven months, has been reached between the executive council of the United Hatters of North America and representatives of the Hat Manufacturers' Association.

Both sides made concessions. The union label, which was a point of serious contention, will be restored in all factories under the agreement. Non-union workmen who have been filling strikers' places will be discharged and the union employees who went on strike will be reemployed at the old scale.

Earthquake at Lisbon.

Lisbon, August 17.—A strong earth shock was experienced here at 2:30 o'clock this morning. The people of the city were thrown into alarm, but there have been no casualties, and no damage has been reported.

First Bale for Arkansas.

Little Rock, Ark., August 17.—The first bale of cotton of this season's picking in the Little Rock district will be sold at public auction tomorrow at the board of trade. The bale was picked on J. G. Little's plantation, near Conway, Faulkner county.

Considering the service one gets out of an Arrow Collar the price is exceedingly small.



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DEFEAT FACED BY BLUE ARMY

Invading Reds About to Capture Boston.

Extreme Left of Blue Army In Great Danger--With That Broken the Road to Boston Will Be Open -- Country Roads Changed Into Rivers of Mud.

Boston, Mass., August 17.—At the conclusion of today's maneuvers of the war game, in which the army of the red, under Brigadier General Tasker H. Bliss, is striving to defeat the army of the blue, commanded by Brigadier General William A. Pew, Jr., and capture Boston, the army of the red has made a material advance, and unless General Pew, of the defenders, can concentrate his troops tomorrow morning to meet the attacks of troops whom General Bliss has massed heavily on the blue's left, General Pew faces defeat.

From the general direction of the movements of General Bliss and his army and the strength of his command the plan which he intends to follow to capture Boston is apparently revealed for the first time. This is to annihilate General Pew's extreme left and to pass that end with a comparatively clear road to Boston. But for the fact that the hour of 1 o'clock, when both armies cease operations for the day, arrived a trifle too soon, the plan would have been eminently successful today. As it is, unless General Pew can support his second brigade of infantry, which is the blue's left wing, by all his cavalry and artillery, which tonight are in the center, some six miles away from the scene, and thereby hold the roads tomorrow morning until his first brigade can be rushed in from the right, he risks defeat.

Today's battle took place under conditions strongly resembling those of the insular campaign about Richmond in the civil war.

The country roads, for days inches deep in the dust of a long summer drouth, were changed into rivers of mud before the most severe northeast rain storm of the summer. The soldiers suffered severely.

Henry Ward Beecher Caught.

Macon, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—Only a brief hunt by deputies in Sheriff Robertson's office resulted in locating Henry Ward Beecher Stuart, a negro drayman for S. Jones & Co., who got away yesterday afternoon with some money he had collected from a customer in east Macon.

Postmasters Named.

Washington, August 17.—Announcement was made by Postmaster General Hitchcock today of the appointment of the following postmasters, whose commissions have been signed by President Taft:

William Quarles, Jr., Charleston, Miss.; Harris B. Webster, Sulphur, Okla.

BAD DREAMS
Caused by Coffee.

"I have been a coffee drinker, more or less, ever since I can remember, until a few months ago I became more and more nervous and irritable, and finally I could not sleep at night for I was horribly disturbed by dreams of all sorts and a species of distressing nightmare.

"Finally, after hearing the experience of numbers of friends who had quit coffee and were drinking Postum, and learning of the great benefits they had derived, I concluded coffee must be the cause of my trouble, so I got some Postum and had it made strictly according to directions.

"I was astonished at the flavour and taste. It entirely took the place of coffee, and to my very great satisfaction, I began to sleep peacefully and sweetly. My nerves improved, and I wish I could wean every man, woman and child from the unwholesome drug—ordinary coffee.

"People really do not appreciate or realize what a powerful drug it is and what terrible effect it has on the human system. If they did, hardly a pound of it would be sold. I would never think of going back to coffee again. I would almost as soon think of putting my hand in a fire after I had once been burned.

"A young lady friend of ours had stomach trouble for a long time, and could not get well as long as she used coffee. She finally quit coffee and began the use of Postum and is now perfectly well. Yours for health."

Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

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CORN AND COTTON BEAT WARSHIPS

So Yoakum Tells Farmers of Oklahoma.

Railroad Magnate Says Bumper Crops Are Stronger Defenses Than Army and Navy. Railroads and Farmers Are Natural Partners.

Shawnee, Okla., August 17.—Deprecating the growing expenditures which the United States is incurring in connection with the maintenance of the army and the navy, and declaring that the grain and cotton fields of the Mississippi valley and the west are stronger military defenses than warships, B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the executive committee of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company, delivered an address here today before the Farmers' Union of Oklahoma.

Mr. Yoakum's subject was "The Farmer and the Railroad." He strongly advocated good roads as a means of bringing the carrier and the producer closer together.

Natural Partners.

Mr. Yoakum said in part:

"The farmers and the railroads are natural partners. The first thing inquired about by an investor in new railroad securities is the character of the country which the road will serve. If it can be shown that the territory to be served by the new railroad is a good farming country, the greatest trouble in finding the money to build has been overcome. On the other hand, the first question a farmer seeking a location in a new country asks is, 'What are its railroad facilities?' The farmer must have the railroad, and the railroad must have the farmer. Their interests are inseparably linked. The prosperity and success of one depends upon the prosperity and success of the other, moreover the prosperity of all business is dependent on the farmer, for the farm is the basis of the nation's credit and wealth.

"Railroad construction has practically been abandoned. There is no great construction under way, and no encouragement for the near future. This is the one disappointing sign of the country's future growth and prosperity. New railroad construction is just as essential for the great development that should take place in the next twenty-five years as it was in the last twenty-five.

"If I were asked to name the most effective way to check this country's growth, I would say, stop railroad construction for a few more years, and our country will become a nation of industrial decadence.

Regulation of Roads.

"The business methods of the country are undergoing an evolution, and one of the most important problems is the proper regulation of the railroads. I am on record so often and so earnestly in favor of fair regulation by the government, that it is almost unnecessary for me to repeat what I have so frequently stated publicly, that the corporations of the country should be so regulated as to prevent discrimination of injustice to the public, giving equal and fair treatment to all, with favoritism to none.

"This country now needs what our forefathers used in laying its foundation—a lot of old-fashioned common sense. Good judgment and fair dealing are found more generally among the farmers than in any other occupation, and when they earnestly take hold of public questions they will occupy a place in our political structure that will make their good judgment and fair conclusions felt more and more in solving the relations of the government and its institutions.

Government Waste.

"The story of government extravagance is being told so broadly through the newspapers that the masses are beginning to realize that something is wrong. The same disregard of value of money would send the strongest private business in this country into bankruptcy. A proper use of the pruning knife in a downward revision of expenses will bring surprising results. It is not practical to itemize where reductions should be made, but they must come. The deficit should be cared for by reducing expenditures and not by raising taxes to increase revenues.

Lesson from Europe.

"The European nations are teaching us a lesson. The controversies in England, the recent troubles in Spain, the unrest in Russia, the quarreling over military taxes in Germany, and the struggle against new taxes in France, should strengthen our faith in the proposition that it is better to grow more farm products and make prosperous the man who sows and harvests than to build more battleships and new guns.

"Our advocates of greater military expenses tell us we are too great, too rich and too strong to fear any trouble over government expenses, but we are now running behind and not only devising new methods of taxation, but are selling government bonds to take care of the deficit. The extension of the grain and cotton fields of the Mississippi valley and of the west are stronger military defenses than are the warships."

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Say Red Rock---Say It Plain!

NEW PRESIDENT CHOSEN FOR RUST UNIVERSITY

Former President Had Trouble Because of Social Equality.

Cincinnati, August 17.—The executive board of the Freedmen's Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church in session here, has elected Rev. J. T. Docking president of Rust university at Holly Springs, Miss.

The new president of Rust university, which is maintained for the education of negoes, was formerly president of Coakman institute at Jacksonville, Fla.

This election was made necessary by the abrupt resignation of Rev. Dr. F. C. English, of Cincinnati, who was elected president of Rust univesity only a few weeks ago. The Rev. Dr. English returned here and said he had been threatened by a mob and ordered to leave Ethel, Miss., because he had shaken hands with a colored presiding elder at a colored conference.

The citizens of Ethel denied there was any formation of a mob, but declared they objected to the principle of "equality of whites and blacks."

BRITISH LAW IS SWIFT.

Student Who Murdered Officer July 1 Is Hanged.

London, August 17.—Madarlal Dhinagri, the Indian student who on the the night of July 1, at the conclusion of a public gathering at the imperial institute, shot and killed Lieutenant Colonel Sir William Hutt Curzon-Wyllie and Dr. Cawai Lalcaca, was hanged at Pentonville prison at 9 o'clock this morning. Dhinagri was tried and found guilty of this crime and sentenced to death at the Old Bailey police court on July 23.

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BIDS WERE OPENED FOR PHILIPPINE BONDS

The First Two Issues Sold at Much Better Prices.

Washington, August 17.—Bids were opened at the bureau of insular affairs, war department, today for $1,500,000 4 per cent ten thirty-year Philippine public works and improvement bonds. This issue is the balance unsold of the $5,000,000 authorized by the acts of congress last amended February 6, 1905.

There were only six bids offered, of which the following are the successful ones for the amounts named:

The Riggs bank, of Washington, D. C., on behalf of the National City bank, of New York, and the Mercantile Trust Company, of St. Louis, $1,392,000 at 100.28; Garvin L. Paine & Co., Indianapolis, $100,000 at 100.51; Morris Merritt, Grundy Center, Iowa, $5,000 at 102; John Setstrom, Guthrie, Okla., $3,000 at 101.

The first two issues of this series of Philippine bonds, the first aggregating $2,500,000 and the second $1,000,000, sold at a much higher rate than that realized today, the prices ranging from 108.3747 to 109.06.

The reason for this decline is largely found in the fact that there is little present demand for bonds for national bank purposes, inasmuch as the secretary of the treasury is not now making any deposits of government funds, for which these bonds are accepted as security.

BERRY WILL IS FILED; ESTATE OF $800,000

The will of the late M. B. Berry, leaving an estate with an estimated value of from $800,000 to $1,000,000, was filed for probate in common form with Ordinary John R. Wilkinson yesterday. E. P. McBurney and William M. Crumley, sons-in-law of the deceased, are named as executors.

The estate is left, with the exception of a few bequests to charity, to his daughters and daughters-in-law, and for that reason the executors decline to give out the contents at all, stating it is purely a personal matter.

Among the properties he owned is the Jacobs Pharmacy building, on Marietta street; Daniel Bros.' building, on Peachtree; the Alcazar theater building and several others, including the family residence at 47 Walton street, and the house which is nearing completion at Peachtree and Seventeenth streets.

CHARGE BOY WITH THEFT OF BARREL OF WHISKY

Both Solicitor General and His Own Lawyer Plead for Him.

When 13-year-old Jimmy Harris, a white lad, charged with theft of a whole barrel of whisky, appeared before the bar in the criminal division of the superior court yesterday, spectators in court were treated to the rather unusual sight of Solicitor General Hill pleading with the court for the dismissal of a defendant.

"May it please your honor," he said, "I haven't the heart to prosecute this little boy. It doesn't seem reasonable that he could steal a barrel of whisky, even if it were left on the street. I ask your honor to follow the dictates of mercy, rather than justice in this case."

Attorney John W. Moore, who represented the lad, also made a strong plea in his behalf. He stated that the lad's father was willing to stand sponsor for the boy's actions until he left the city. After some hesitation, Judge Roan decided to follow this course and ordered that the father, S. W. Harris, give bond for the son's appearance at the November term of the court, provided he was wanted then.

HEAVY FINES GIVEN ALLEGED BLIND TIGERS

Councilman Steve R. Johnston occupied Recorder Nash R. Broyles' chair in the police court yesterday, and his fancy autograph on the big docket marked the fate of numerous persons.

C. B. Jones, an old negro man, residing at 22 Gunby Row, was given a fine of $500 and thirty days in the stockade, and Fannie Walton, a negro woman, residing across the street from the old man, whose home was raided simultaneously with Jones' on Friday night by the detectives, was given the same punishment. In the old negro's house the detectives found a lot of whisky hidden in a hole dug in the cellar, which was concealed by three separate trap doors, and the topmost one concealed by a rug.

ROMANCE OF ELOPING WIFE SHATTERED BY HUSBAND

New York, August 17.—The immigration officials have shattered the romance of 19-year-old Beatrice Mayer, who left her husband of a few months and eloped to this country with her first sweetheart, Adolph Grohman, a youth of 23. The young couple, who have a plentiful supply of money and whose refinement apparently verifies their claim of kinship with prominent families at Prague, arrived here on a steamship Sunday. Mrs. Mayer was accompanied by her maid and all of them had first cabin passage. They would not have been disturbed in their desire to land had not a cablegram preceded their arrival. It was from Mrs. Mayer's husband and asked that they be detained. A special board of inquiry has decided that the man and Mrs. Mayer and her maid must be deported. Before the board Mrs. Mayer made an impassioned plea to be allowed to land.

"Adolph was my school companion and we loved each other for years," she said. "We wanted to marry, but my folks objected. They wanted me to marry a banker. I resisted as long as I could, but in the end they forced me into this objectionable marriage. I never loved my husband, but I do love Adolph and after four months of marital trouble I decided that the only way to avoid a life of unhappiness was to run away with Adolph."

HIS WIFE BURNED UP 20 RAILROAD TICKETS

She Destroys Odds and Ends in Her Husband's Pockets.

O. M. Young, manager of the Empire Theatrical Exchange, rushed madly into the city ticket office of the Southern railway, on Peachtree, and fairly grabbing Jimmy Freeman, the clever district passenger agent, shouted: "For heaven's sake, man, can you give me twenty more tickets to Anniston, Ala., right away?"

"Why," replied Mr. Freeman, "what became of the twenty I sold you this morning?"

"That's just it," continued Mr. Young. "They're gone—burned up."

"The Dickens, you say!" returned Mr. Freeman.

"Yes," he replied. "My wife, in changing the things from that coat to this one, was burning up a lot of trash I had collected in my pockets, and threw that letter with the twenty tickets in it into the fire she had built on the hearth for the purpose. Up went my tickets in smoke, and I've got to get that party to Anniston tonight."

An indemnifying bond was arranged and another twenty-ticket issued. Mr. Young held this ticket in his hand until he turned it over to the conductor.

Switchman Lost Leg Under Car

Macon, Ga., August 17.—(Special.) Collins Jackson, a negro switchman employed by the Central railway, lost a leg when he was knocked down and run over by a Georgia train as it was backing in at the Bay street crossing this morning. The switchman moved out of the way of some cars he was directing when he stepped upon the track where the other train was backing in. One wheel passed over his leg before the train was stopped and the limb was almost severed from the body. He was removed to the city hospital for treatment.

BACK TO MATTEAWAN HARRY THAW WILL GO

He Has Packed His Grips Ready to Return Today.

White Plains, N. Y., August 17.—Harry K. Thaw packed up his grips in the county jail here today, preparatory to his return to Matteawan. He threw out several hundreds of letters, most of which were from cranks and women.

The Thaw family, it was learned today, will make an attempt now to have Thaw released from Matteawan and committed to the custody of his relatives. They will agree never to let him out, unless accompanied by a member of the family or a special attendant.

Big Island, Maine, August 17.—A visit by Harry K. Thaw's sister to Judge Isaac N. Mills at the Megantic fish and game preserve, just across the border from here in Quebec, was without the result for which she had hoped. The judge declined to grant her request that her brother be allowed to remain at White Plains beyond the day decreed.

Gordon Superior Court.

Calhoun, Ga., August 17.—(Special.) Gordon county superior court will open here next Monday, with Judge Fite presiding. There are quite a number of cases on the civil docket, but nothing of a sensational character is expected to come before the court.

AMERICA GETS PART OF CHINESE LOAN

All Details Are Arranged at Pekin.

American Bankers to Handle One-Quarter, and the Other Three-Quarters Will Go to Britain, France and Germany

Pekin, August 17.—American participation in the Hank-Sze-Chuen railroad loan was definitely settled at the offices of the foreign board this morning by Henry P. Fletcher, the American charge d'affaires, and Lian Tun-Yen, president of the board. The loan is to be increased from $27,500,000 to $30,000,000 and of this latter amount American bankers are to get one-quarter, the other three-quarters going to British, French and German interests.

Americans are to have equal opportunity to supply material for both the Sze-Chuen and the Canton lines and their branches; they will appoint subordinate engineers and they will have also one-half of all future loans of the Sze-Chuen railroad and its branches, with the corresponding advantages.

The details of this settlement will be arranged after the arrival here, the end of this week, of Willard D. Straight, the representative of the American financiers interested, whereupon the protest lodegd by Mr. Fletcher against the completion of the loan with British, French and German interests alone, will be drawn and an edict issued authorizing the signature of the undertaking. The entire question will then be conclusively settled.

The settlement reached today prevents actual American investment in the abandoned Hankow-Canton line, but nevertheless it is the opinion here that American capital has been placed on an equality with other capital in China.

Trophy for Rifle Practice.

Washington, August 17.—Secretary of War Dickinson, in an effort to stimulate rifle practice in his state will give a trophy to the national guardsmen of Tennessee making the highest skirmish of twenty shots annually. Work on the design for the trophy is now in progress.

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Half-hose that were 25c to $1,00— **Now 20c to 75c.**

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NEW NATIONAL ORDER

Organized to Solve the Race Problem.

Aragon, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—The general Order of True Americans was organized early in the present year (1909) and a United States president, a vice and a United States secretary and treasurer of the order elected.

On the ninth day of April, 1909, the United States president of the order, Rev. J. R. Lamb, pastor of the First Baptist church at Aragon, Ga., organized the first local lodge of True Americans at Aragon. The following officers of this local organization were elected: W. C. Teel, president; P. S. Lamb, secretary; Thomas Adams, treasurer; Joseph Hicks, doorkeeper. The members of this lodge are among the best citizens of Aragon. We hold our regular meetings in the lodge hall.

The object of the order is a lawful, honorable, speedy and peaceable settlement of the American race problem. It stands for the preservation if the Caucasian blood, the colonization of the American negro race on principles of justice and mercy, and by lawful methods so friendly as to be satisfactory to both white and black, for law and order instead of mob violence, for the reunion of the north and south, for loyalty to the American government, for one united white American nation.

Full particulars and literature of the order is being sent out by Rev. J. R. Lamb, Aragon, Ga.; W. C. Teel, president of Aragon Lodge No. 1, of True Americans.

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SPORTS

FINAL HOME GAME TODAY FOR SOME TIME

Edited By Dick Jemison

CRACKERS HAVE ANOTHER FEST

Bingle Safely 13 Times. Final Score 6 to 2.

Harold Johns Outhurled His Former Side Partner, Grant Schopp---He Also Made Two Hits--Lee Looks Mighty Good. Final Game Today.

"Revenge!" cried the Crackers when they entered the first game with the Barons on Monday, and the cry "revenge" was continued through the second game and also through the third game yesterday. "Revenge is sweet," and the Crackers have been taking it in large packages.

Yesterday, Manager Molesworth sent Grantland Schopp, the Atlanta cast-off, to the slab, with the hope of stopping the Crackers, but he could no more stop them than the other two Baron twirlers. Bingles rained around his shins and those of his mates until a total of thirteen, with six large runs, were hung up by the Crackers, against seven swats and two runs for the Barons.

If the Crackers can keep up the hitting stride they are now in, there is no need of worry on the long road trip ahead. In the three games in which the two teams have participated the Crackers have been at bat 114 times, scored 21 runs and made 36 hits, a hitting percentage of .315, against 93 times at bat for the Barons, 4 runs and 18 hits, a percentage of .195. These figures tell plainly why the Crackers have won the three games, but their defensive play, coupled with this magnificent hitting, could not keep us from winning.

Johns Hits Safe Twice.

Harold Johns occupied the mound for the Crackers, and the southpaw had one of his good days. He had fine control and was never in danger, but the feature of his work was his hitting. Can you imagine Harold Johns, the peerless swatter, getting two hits in one game? Well, he did, and they were both clean clouts. He batted right-handed, and maybe that had something to do with it.

Jack Lee made his debut in right field, and he showed up splendidly. He got one hit, stole a base and accepted one put-out.

Dick Bayless continued his swell hitting, getting three hits out of four times up, while he increased his total runs scored this year to 73 when he crossed the pan three times. He has to make 27 more runs to break the Southern League record.

The other members of the team, with the exception of Newton and Walker, made hits, and every one of them was of the timely sort.

Crackers Score in First.

In the first round the Crackers sent two runs home. Bayless singled to right field, and when Barr beat out a hit to short, both men were safe. Sid Smith sacrificed them both up a bag, and Lee laid one down the third base line, beating it out, Bayless and Barr scoring.

The Barons got one in the second inning. McGilvray singled to left field and was sacrificed to second by Manuel, scoring on Kane's single to center field. Bayless made a pretty throw to the plate, but McMurray and McGilvray had a collision at the plate, both of them sprawling on the ground, Mac dropping the ball.

The Crackers added another in the third. Bayless singled to left field and was sacrificed to second by Barr, scoring on Sid Smith's single to right.

The Barons got their second and last run in the sixth. Molesworth led off with a double to left field and scored on McGilvray's single to left.

Three Runs in Seventh.

The Crackers sent home a large cluster of three in the "lucky seventh." McMurray singled to right and was sacrificed to second by Walker, scoring on Johns' safe hit to left field, Johns taking second on the throw to the plate. Bayless singled to right field, Johns scoring, Bayless going to second on the throw to the plate, Bayless stole third, and Barr bunted one in front of the plate, which he beat out, Bayless scoring.

Here is the way the Crackers fattened their batting averages again:

BIRMINGHAM—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Henline, lf.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Ellam, ss.	4	0	0	5	1	0
Molesworth, cf.	4	1	1	2	0	0
McGilvray, 1b	4	1	2	12	1	0
Manuel, rf.	3	0	2	0	0	0
Gygli, 2b.	4	0	0	3	2	0
Kane, c.	3	0	1	0	3	0
Larsen, 3b.	3	0	0	2	4	0
Schopp, p.	3	0	0	0	8	0
Totals.	31	2	7	24	19	0

ATLANTA—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Bayless, cf.	4	3	3	4	0	0
Barr, lf.	3	1	2	1	0	0
Smith, 1b.	3	0	1	11	1	0
Lee, rf.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Jordan, 2b.	4	0	2	3	4	0
Newton, ss.	4	0	0	2	1	0
McMurray, c.	3	1	2	5	1	0
Walker, 3b.	2	0	0	0	4	0
Johns, p.	3	1	2	0	1	0
Totals.	29	6	13	27	12	0

Score by innings:	R.
Birmingham	010 001 000—2
Atlanta	201 000 30x—6

Summary: Two-base hit, Molesworth; double play, Larsen to Gygli to McGilvray; struck out, by Johns 4, by Schopp 0; sacrifice hits, Barr, Smith, Walker, Manuel; stolen bases, Bayless, Lee, Jordan. Time 1:50. Umpire Carpenter.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia-New York and Boston-Brooklyn games called on account of rain.

Cubs 2, Reds 0.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Chicago . . . .020 000 00x—2	5	0	
Cincinnati . . .000 000 000—0	4	1	

Batteries: Overall and Needham; Gasper, Campbell and Roth. Time, 1:30. Umpire Emslie.

Pirates 11, Cardinals 8.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg . . . .000 332 30—11	12	5	
St. Louis . . . .012 500 00— 8	10	3	

Batteries—Maddox, Brandon, Adams, Leever and Gibson; Sallee, Beebe and Phelps. Time 1:50. Umpires Kane and Johnstone.

LYNCHBURG WANTS BILLY SMITH

Offer Him Manager's Job and Interest in Club.

Manager Billy Smith, of the Atlanta club, is certainly a popular man. Evidently realizing that there is some class to him as a manager, there are several clubs who are after him as manager next season. His contract with the Atlanta team ends at the close of the present season and these clubs are trying to get their bids in for his services early.

Last night the Lynchburg club, in the Virginia League, wired Manager Smith an offer to manage that club the coming season. In addition to a fat salary, Manager Smith was offered an interest in the club and that the club wants him bad was shown by their asking that he answer by telegram.

Manager Smith is not going to accept the position or turn it down as yet. He is waiting to see what the Atlanta club will do and if they don't do what he considers the right thing he will probably take the Lynchburg offer.

Lynchburg was the first team that Manager Smith ever managed. He was with that team when the city was in the Virginia State League in the seasons of 1895 and 1896, winning the pennant both seasons, so it can be easily seen that he is anxious to return to his "first love," but paritotic like, he would rather stay with Atlanta. Since he has been in the Gate City, he, too, has caught the "Atlanta Spirit."

Climbers 5, Champs 3; Champs 9, Climbers 0

Nashville, Tenn., August 17.—Nashville and Montgomery won a game each in a double-header today. The first was Montgomery's, 5 to 3, and in the second, a seven-inning game, Nashville shut the visitors out, 9 to 0.

In the second inning of the first game, Duggan strained a leader in his arm, and was absolutely helpless. Before he was relieved he yielded four hits and forced in one runner. When he finally dropped his arm, unable to hold the ball, the man at the bat had three balls on him, with the bases full. Bernhard went in, and another run was forced in. In the second game, Perdue held the visitors well, while Juul was hard hit.

Scores:

FIRST GAME.

NASHVILLE—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Bay, lf.	5	2	2	3	0	0
Wiseman, rf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
East, 2b.	3	1	2	7	3	1
Tonneman, 1b.	3	0	0	9	1	0
Siegel, cf.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Seabaugh, c.	4	0	1	3	1	0
Butler, ss.	4	0	0	1	4	0
Noyes, 3b.	4	0	2	0	1	0
Duggan, p.	0	0	0	0	1	0
Bernhard, p.	3	0	0	2	3	0
Totals.	32	3	7	27	14	1

MONTGOMERY—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Daley, lf.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Kirwin, rf.	3	0	1	4	0	0
Whiteman, cf.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Osteen, 3b.	4	1	1	2	2	1
Rockenfield, 2b.	3	0	1	0	4	0
Shannon, 1b.	4	2	2	11	0	0
Pepe, ss.	4	1	1	2	0	2
Hart, c.	4	1	2	3	0	1
Bliss, p.	3	0	1	0	5	0
Totals.	32	5	9	27	11	4

Score by innings.	R.
Nashville	.000 002 010—3
Montgomery	.030 000 002—5

Summary—Struck out, by Duggan 0, by Bliss 1, by Bernhard 2; bases on balls, off Duggan 1, off Bliss 2, off Bernhard 2; sacrifice hits, Rockenfield, Bernhard, Whiteman, Wiseman, Siegel; stolen base, Siegel; two-base hits, Osteen, East, Hart; double plays, Noyes to East to Tonneman, Butler to Tonneman. Time, 1:50. Umpire, Pfenninger.

SECOND GAME.

NASHVILLE—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Bay, lf.	4	1	3	2	0	0
Wiseman, rf.	3	2	1	0	0	0
East, 2b.	3	2	1	0	3	0
Tonneman, 1b.	4	0	1	10	0	0
Siegel, cf.	2	1	1	2	0	0
Seabaugh, c.	4	0	2	5	1	0
Butler, ss.	4	1	1	2	4	0
Noyes, 3b.	2	2	2	0	1	0
Perdue, p.	2	0	1	0	0	0
Totals.	28	9	13	21	9	1

MONTGOMERY—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Daley, lf.	3	0	2	1	0	0
Kerwin, rf.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Whiteman, cf.	3	0	0	4	0	0
Osteen, 3b.	3	0	2	1	2	0
Rockenfield, 2b.	3	0	1	1	2	0
Shannon, 1b.	3	0	0	6	2	0
Pepe, ss.	2	0	1	0	2	1
Hart, c.	2	0	0	4	1	1
Juul, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	25	0	6	18	11	2

Score by innings (seven):	R.
Nashville	.300 420 x—9
Montgomery	.000 000 0—0

Summary—Struck out, by Perdue 4, Juul 1, bases on balls, off Perdue 0, off Juul 6; sacrifice hits, 0; stolen bases, Wiseman, Tonneman, Butler 2, Noyes, Siegel; two-base hits, Bay, Osteen; double plays, Kerwin to Shannon to Hart, Kerwin to Shannon, Bay to Butler to Tonneman. Time, 1:30. Umpire, Pfenninger.

Gulls 4, Turtles 1.

Memphis, Tenn., August 17.—After Mobile scored three runs on two hits, one of which was a two-bagger by Sentell and an error in the opening round, the locals seemed to lose interest in the game today, which resulted in their defeat by a score of 4 to 1. Mobile secured ten hits off Fritz, while Memphis took seven from Hickman. The game was practically without features.

Score:

MOBILE—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Watson, 3b	5	1	1	1	2	1
McCay, 1b	3	0	0	11	1	1
Wheat, lf	4	1	2	2	1	0
Thornton, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Sentell, ss	4	1	1	2	3	0
Rhoton, 2b	4	0	2	5	5	0
Neighbors, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Ludwig, c	4	0	3	4	1	0
Hickman, p	3	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	34	4	10	27	16	2

MEMPHIS—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Coulson, lf	4	0	1	1	1	0
Cranston, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	1
Babb, ss	4	0	1	1	2	1
Wheeler, 1b	4	0	1	11	0	2
Baerwald, 2b	4	0	1	2	5	0
Shields, rf	4	0	0	2	1	0
O'Leary, c	3	0	0	8	2	0
Wagner, cf	3	1	2	2	0	0
Fritz, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	33	1	7	27	14	4

Score by innings:	R.
Mobile	.300 000 100—4
Memphis	.001 000 000—1

Summary: Sacrifice hits, McCay, Hickman; double plays, Wheat to Sentell, Rhoton to McCay; passed balls, O'Leary; wild pitch, Fritz; balk, Hickman; struck out, by Hickman 1, by Fritz 5; bases on balls, off Fritz 1. Time, 1:35. Umpire, Moran.

INDIANAPOLIS AUTOMOBILE SPEEDWAY; PRIZE CUP FOR NATIONAL RACING MEET



The first big race meet at the new Indianapolis automobile speedway will be held from August 19 to 21. Sanction has been granted by the American Automobile Association for the three days' motorcar racing carnival, and from present indications the inaugural contests will be crowned with success. To give some idea of the racing that will take place on the Indianapolis course it is necessary to compare it with the Vanderbilt course and the Savannah and Cobe events. These courses measure from 20 to 25 miles to a lap. In the Cobe event each car passed the grand stand sixteen times, whereas on the Indianapolis speedway in a 400-mile race each car would pass a given point about 158 times, which would seem to furnish excitement and action enough to satisfy anyone. The speedway park has an area of 328 acres. There are forty-one buildings, including grand stands, garages, autodrome, club houses, machine shops, oil houses, refreshment and office buildings. The total cost of the speedway exceeded $350,000. The circumference of the outer track and road course is 5 miles. The track is of gravel surface, using 300,000 gallons of asphalt oil. The grand stand and box seats accommodate 25,000. Ten thousand automobiles can be parked on the grounds. One mile and a half of siding has been built to accommodate sleeping and dining cars. The entire grounds will accommodate 200,000 persons. The turns are banked 14 feet and have a 1,500-foot radius.

CRACKERS LEAVE ON ROAD TRIP

Off After Today's Game for Tour of the West.

The final game with Molesworth's Barons will be played today, the game being called at 2:45, in order that the teams may hit the road for a long trip. Rogers against Fleharty will probably be the twirlers in today's battle.

The Crackers will be gone until Labor day, quite a long trip. They will play Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans, Memphis and Little Rock in the order named before returning to their own ball lot.

In all there will be eighteen games played on the road, and at the rate the Crackers are traveling they should be able to win at least eleven out of the eighteen, and if they do, they will surely come back in first place.

If the Crackers do, then there will be no chance to head them, as they finish the season at home with Mobile, New Orleans, Memphis and Little Rock in that order.

Travelers 5, Pelicans 2.

Little Rock, Ark., August 17.—Charles Keith, the Arkansas Rhodes scholar, returned to the diamond today, after a year's absence, and won a well-pitched game from New Orleans, 5 to 2. With the score tied and the bases full in the seventh inning, Collins hit for three bases, deciding the outcome. Flood's home run in the first inning was the longest drive made on the home grounds this season.

The score:

LITTLE ROCK—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Persons, lf	3	1	1	3	0	1
Collins, ss	4	1	3	2	2	0
Flood, 2b	3	1	1	0	3	0
Sentz, cf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Perry, 3b	3	0	1	2	2	0
Casey, c	4	0	1	6	0	0
Hoey, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Carey, 1b	4	1	1	8	1	0
Keith, p	3	1	1	1	1	0
Totals	31	5	10	27	9	1

NEW ORLEANS—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Dexter, 1b	3	1	2	8	1	0
Weimer, rf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Rohe, 3b	3	0	0	1	4	0
Hill, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Huelsman, lf	4	1	1	1	0	1
Hoffman, 2b	4	0	1	1	1	0
Lindsay, ss	4	0	0	1	2	0
Matthews, c	4	0	2	5	2	2
Pruitt, p	3	0	0	1	3	0
xSchriver	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	34	2	7	24	9	3

xBatted for Pruitt in ninth.

Score by innings:	R.
Little Rock	.100 001 30x—5
New Orleans	.011 000 000—2

Summary: Two-base hits, Sentz, Dexter, Matthews; three-base hits, Collins, Dexter; home run, Flood; sacrifice hits, Flood; sacrifice fly, Rohe; stolen bases, Collins, Casey, Hoey (2); base on balls, off Keith 1, off Pruitt 3; struck out by Keith 6, by Pruitt 2; left on bases, Little Rock 6, New Orleans 7. Time of game 1:53. Umpires O'Brien and Rudderham.

Questions and Answers.

Under this head the sporting editor will endeavor to answer all questions pertaining to all branches of sports.

Dick Jemison, Sporting Editor The Constitution: 1. Batter dodges a pitched ball and his bat, resting on his shoulder, comes in contact with the ball behind him, the ball bounding into the fair territory. What should be the umpire's decision in this case? 2. What should be the decision in case ball rebounds from the bat into foul territory? 3. In either case can base runner advance? C. W. STROZIER.

1. The ball is a hit, and if the runner beats it out he gets credit for a hit, a base runner advancing should there be one on base. 2. This is a foul ball and counts as a strike on the batter in the event that there is not two strikes on him already. 3. The base runner can advance on the former only.

Dick Jemison, Sporting Editor The Constitution: Who are the left-handed batters on the Atlanta team?

A NEWNAN FAN.

Bayless, Winters, Lee, Johns and Rogers.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

CLUBS—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Atlanta	106	67	39	.633
Nashville	104	61	43	.587
New Orleans	109	59	50	.541
Mobile	108	57	51	.528
Montgomery	108	55	53	.509
Little Rock	106	49	57	.462
Birmingham	108	45	63	.417
Memphis	111	37	74	.333

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

CLUBS—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chattanooga	39	26	13	.667
Savannah	36	24	12	.667
Augusta	31	20	11	.645
Columbus	35	19	16	.543
Macon	33	13	20	.394
Columbia	36	14	22	.380
Knoxville	35	13	22	.371
Jacksonville	35	11	24	.315

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

CLUBS—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Pittsburg	103	74	29	.719
Chicago	104	69	35	.664
New York	99	61	38	.616
Cincinnati	104	53	51	.510
Philadelphia	102	47	55	.461
St. Louis	101	43	58	.426
Brooklyn	102	37	65	.364
Boston	105	26	79	.248

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

CLUBS—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	108	66	42	.611
Detroit	107	65	42	.607
Boston	109	65	44	.596
Cleveland	109	55	54	.505
Chicago	107	52	55	.486
New York	105	49	56	.467
St. Louis	105	45	60	.429
Washington	108	32	76	.296

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Birmingham in Atlanta. Came called at 2:45 o'clock. Ponce de Leon.
Montgomery in Nashville. Two games.
New Orleans in Little Rock.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Columbus in Macon.
Knoxville in Jacksonville.
Savannah in Columbia.
Augusta in Chattanooga.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago in Detroit.
St. Louis in Cleveland.
Boston in New York.
Philadelphia in Washington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati in Chicago.
St. Louis in Pittsburg.
Brooklyn in Boston.
New York in Philadelphia.

ONE MONTH MORE SEASON CLOSES

Teams Will Probably Finish as They Stand Now.

The Southern League has but one more month of play, the season closing with the games on September 18.

This season has been a successful one in every way. The race has been an exciting one ever since the start, and it is only in the last month of play that anything definite could be gleaned as to the probable pennant winner. For the past month it has been nip and tuck, with Nashville and Atlanta having the edge and New Orleans having a look-in. This is the present status of aqairs at the present writing, and it does not look as if there will be any material change in the team standings at the end of the season.

New Orleans has the best look-in of any of the teams outside of Atlanta and Nashville, but in view of the road traveling proclimities of the Crackers and the Champs, there seems to be very little chance of the Pelicans ousting them from their present position.

Atlanta seems to have the best chance of the teams at present, having a nice lead to her credit, but on the present road trip will depend where the flag will fly. If the Crackers come back in first place on Labor day there will be no chance of the other teams heading them, as the home boys finish the season on their own lot, and it is a safe bet that they will win two-thirds or maybe more of their games on their own lot.

Let's compare the way the teams stood on August 18, last year, with the way they are standing now. Here is the way they looked:

New Orleans stood first, with .558, a bare 2 points ahead of Nashville, with .556. Memphis came third, with .533, and the other teams in the following order: Mobile .505, Montgomery .505, Atlanta .490, Little Rock .482, Birmingham .375.

Now look at the way they stand today: Atlanta and Nashville both have a bigger percentage than the two leaders last year. Mobile and Montgomery are the only teams that are standing in the same relative positions they held a year ago, though their percentages are a little better.

It is doubtful, now that Atlanta has got this big lead, if the race will wind up as close as it did last season, but then accidents are liable to happen to most any team, and there is no telling where the teams will stand one month from now.

If the writer were to pick the way the teams would finish the present order is the way it looks like they will finish.

SOUR SMELLING

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NAPOLEON LAJOIE RESIGNS AS MANAGER

But He Will Continue to Play With Cleveland.

Cleveland, Ohio, August 17.—Napoleon Lajoie voluntarily tendered his resignation as manager of the Cleveland American League baseball team tonight, to take effect as soon as a successor can be appointed by the directors of the team. Lajoie will continue to play with the team.

Lajoie's resignation is due to criticism he has been subjected to on account of his failure to make a better showing with the team this year.

The club owners defended Lajoie.

In his letter of resignation Lajoie said:

"I feel that my obligations to you, to the public and to the players compel me to take this action at the present time. You have given me liberal support as manager for the last five years, and I feel that if anyone can accomplish more with the club than I have been able to do, you deserve to have an opportunity to take advantage of the same.

"Besides my obligation to yourselves and the public, as above stated, I feel that it is my duty to the other players on the club to give them relief from the abuse and criticism which is being heaped upon them. Just at present the boys are being subjected to a lot of abuse because of our failure to win, and they are being unjustly accused of not trying and being unwilling to play for me. Not a man on the club has ever refused to do anything I have asked of him. My retirement should certainly put a stop to this criticism of the players."

GULLS BUY COCASH; RECALL FIVE MEN

Mobile, Ala., August 17.—The Mobile Baseball Association announced last night that they had purchased Outfielder and Second Baseman Cocash from Little Rock. Recall on the following Mobile players has been issued for next year: Leonard Cote, Decatur, Ill.; Fred Miller, Columbia, S. C.; Hixon, Columbus, Ga.; "Liz" Torrey, Shreveport, La., and E. O. McIver, San Antonio, Texas.

REED OR BABB TO HEAD BARONS NEXT SEASON

Birmingham, Ala., August 17.—Publication is made in Birmingham today to the effect that either Charles Babb, of Memphis, or George Reed, of Mobile, may be offered the management of the Birmingham baseball club next year. Reed is said to have been advised already of a desire of a change here.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Row at Jacksonville; Umps Forfeits Game.

Jacksonville, Fla., August 17.—Today's game was forfeited to Knoxville 9 to 0, Monday afternoon, after the game, Secretary West, of the local club, and Umpire Westervelt had a fistic encounter as the result of alleged insults given the Jacksonville man by the umpire during a recent road trip of the local team. It was said today by the owners of the franchise at this place that Westervelt wouldn't be allowed to officiate, and as there was another umpire present (Davern), President Jones was asked not to allow Westervelt to officiate. The president refused to comply with the request and sent Westervelt to the park and when he called "play ball" the local owners refused to allow their team to take the field. The game was then ordered forfeited by Westervelt.

The situation here is very gloomy and it is reported tonight that the local owners will turn their franchise over to the league.

Indians 2, Palmettos 1.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Savannah . . . .100 000 100—2	6	2	
Columbia . . . .000 100 000—1	7	2	

Batteries: A. Schultz, Demaree and Lauzon; Miller and Kalkhoff. Time, 1:40. Umpire, Collins.

Electrics 2, Peaches 1.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Macon . . . . .001 000 000—1	5	4	
Columbus . . . .000 000 002—2	7	2	

Batteries: Weems and Lafitte; Eyler and Smith. Umpire, Gifford. Time, 1:40.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York-Boston game postponed on account of rain.

Naps Win Two.

Score—First Game:	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland . . . .000 200 00x—2	11	2	
St. Louis . . . .000 000 001—1	7	2	

Batteries—Joss and Easterly; Powell and Stephens. Time 1:20. Umpire O'Loughlin.

Score—Second Game:	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland . . . .030 010 30x—7	10	6	
St. Louis . . . .000 000 003—3	6	2	

Batteries: Young and Bemis; Dineen, Graham and Criger. Time 1:45. Umpire O'Loughlin.

White Sox 3, Tigers 2.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Detroit . . . . .000 020 000—2	7	1	
Chicago . . . . .000 020 010—3	9	1	

Batteries: Summers and Schmidt; Scott and Owens. Time, 1:50. Umpires, Kerin and Connolly.

Senators 1, Athletics 0.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Washington . .000 000 000 001—1	9	3	
Philadelphia. .000 000 000 000—0	4	4	

Batteries: Johnson and Street; Bender and Livingstone. Time, 2:16. Umpires, Evans and Egan.

Riverdale Wins.

Greenville, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—Riverdale defeated the strong bunch of Greenville ball players Monday by the score of 6 to 5. Robert Huie, the star twirler of the Riverdale team, had the local's guessing from the start, allowing only five scattered hits. McCrary and Hutcheson did good work for the locals. They allowed few hits, but the Riverdale boys bunched them in the seventh and tenth innings. The feature of the game was the fielding of Walker, for Riverdale.

Here is the story:

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Greenville . . .100 010 300 0—5	5	2	
Riverdale. . . .001 000 031 1—6	12	6	

Batteries for Riverdale, Huie and Bowden; Greenville, Hutcheson and Huie.

Elberton Wins.

Quitman, Ga., August 17.—(Special.) Cedartown defeated Quitman in the second game of the series here today 6 to 0. Batteries—Reynolds and McClain; Bishop and Reddick.

PRETEND, AT 8 TO 1, WINS THE ALBANY

His Victory a Hard Blow to the Talent.

Scarpia, the Favorite, Finished Second---Scarpia Led to the Stretch, Where Pretend Went to the Front and Easily Won.

Sartoga, N. Y., August 17.—Pretend, an added starter, and neglected in the betting at 8 to 1, easily won the Albany handicap, 6 furlongs, here today. His victory was a hard blow to the talent, as the favorite, Scarpia, finished second. Pretend broke in front, but Scarpia raced past him and led to the stretch, where Dugan sent Pretend up and won by four lengths.

The races today were run over a very heavy track, and all in a rainstorm.

FIRST RACE—Handicap for all ages, 6 furlongs, $500 added: Firestone, 115 (Powers), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, even, won; Rosimiro, 90 (Garner), 5 to 1, 8 to 5, 7 to 10, second; Personal, 92 (Ural), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, even, third. Time, 1:16 1-5. King Cobalt, Lady Irma and Royal Onyx ran.

SECOND RACE—$400 added, 5½ furlongs: Glennadean, 109 (Walsh), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, 6 to 5, won; Zactecas, 112 (Duggan), 3 to 1, even, 2 to 5, second; Little King, 104 (Creevy), 13 to 10, 2 to 5, 1 to 5, third. Time, 1:10 2-5. Compton, Love Watches and Zephyr ran.

THIRD RACE—$500 added, one mile: Gloriole, 91 (Garner), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 7 to 5, won; Ruble, 96 (Ural), 9 to 5, 7 to 10, 1 to 4, second; Black Hawk, 114 (Tarlin), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, third. Time, 1:45 3-5. Bonnie Bard, Profit, Sun Dance, Paul Ruinart, Choirmaster of Chesterbrook and an Den ran.

FOURTH RACE—The Albany handicap, for 2-year-olds, value $1,200, 6 furlongs: Pretend, 105 (Duggan), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 8 to 5, won; Scarpia, 99 (Creevy), 3 to 5, even, 1 to 2, second; Busy, 105 (Goldstein), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, third. Time, 1:16. Democrat, Fauntleroy, Angerona, Jacquelina and Medallion ran.

FIFTH RACE—Three-year-olds, selling, one mile, $500 added: Rubia Granda, 102 (Gilbert), 6 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, won; Rose Beaumont, 101 (McCahey), 20 to 1, 7 to 1, 3 to 1, second; Spellbound, 108 (Creevy), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, third. Time, 1:45. Ruxton, Michael Beck, Joe Rose, Sandpiper and Pocomoke ran.

SIXTH RACE—Maidens, 3-year-olds and up, selling, one mile, $400 added: Miss Popular, 100 (Davenport), 6 to 5, 2 to 5, 1 to 5, won; Maximum, 110 (Musgrave), 2 to 1, 7 to 10, 1 to 4, second; Mugwump, 107 (Page), 2 to 1, 6 to 1, 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:47. Yama, Saginaw and Miss Thompson ran.

Saratoga Entries for Today.

First Race—Selling, 3-year-olds and up, 7 furlongs: Thomas Calhoun, 113; Waponica, Queen Marguerite, 108; King Sol, Norfolk, Beckon, Bird of Flight II, 107; Okenite, 106; Chief Hayes, 105; Burgher, 104; Blue Tie, 103; May Amelia, Black Oak, Joe Gaitens, Fond Heart, Taboo, 102; Ruxton, 98; Debar, 99; Jeanne D'Arc, 97; Twilight Queen, 95.

Second Race—Steeplechase handicap, 4-year-olds and upwards, about 2½ miles: Pagan Bey, 160; Grandpa, 150; Steve Lane, 146; Sandy Creeker, 142; Meddlesome Boy, 133; Ran Two, 130.

Third Race—Three-year-olds, non-winners at this meeting, 5½ furlongs: Shannon, 113; Fighting Bob, 110; Billard Ball, 107; Hampton Court, St. Deinol, Horicon, 102.

Fourth Race—The Huron handicap, 3-year-olds, $1,000 added, mile and three-sixteenths: Etherial, 111; Arondack, 109; Gliding Belle, 102; Miss Kearney, 95.

Fifth Race—Three-year-olds and up, selling, mile and three-sixteenths: Berkeley, 118; Nadzu, 113; Profit, 102; The Peer, 98.

Sixth Race—For maidens, two-year-olds, selling, 6 furlongs: Dixie Dixon, 110; German Silver, Top Notch, Indot, 104; Little Friend, 102; Radation, Jack Frost, 101; Judge Lassing, 99; Flofield, 98; Lingfield, Equation, 96.

QUEEN CITY STAKE WON BY HARVESTER

It Was an Easy Victory for the Unbeaten Stallion of Ed Geers.

Buffalo, N. Y., August 17.—The Harvester, Ed Geers' unbeaten stallion this afternoon at Fort Erie won the Queen City stake of $2,000 for 2:09 trotters. It was an easy victory, the Harvester winning four straight heats. The every-heat-a-race plan was followed in the three events. The stallion covered the first mile in 2:08¼, but a slight rain which followed made the track about two seconds slower. The Harvester was out in the pool selling and Carlokin, the California stallion, sold favorite. In the first heat Durfee's horse went to a bad break and before he settled down the distance flag was dropped. Genteel H. finished second.

The 2:09 pace also went to Geers, who drove Walter W. under the wire in straight heats. McDonald, with Billy B., tried hard, but could get no closer than second.

Innerguard, a prohibitive favorite, easily defeated the Wolverine in the 2:13 trot, the closing event.

The Empire State stake, $10,000, 2:12 trot, will be run tomorrow. The 2:02 pace, which was to have been run tomorrow, was declared off today because of insufficient entries. The Eel



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GREAT FORTUNE DEPLETED BY SPIRITUALIST SWINDLE

Mexico City, August 17.—What they declare to be a gigantic spiritualistic swindle, extending over a period of one year and which has well-nigh impoverished Mrs. Maria de Jesus Perez, a widow of Colonel Trinidad Ruiz, has been discovered by the police authorities.

Surrounded by a coterie of spiritualists, the authorities believe that Mrs. Perez became an easy victim. A great fortune, the police say, has been depleted by daily payments to the materialized form of her departed husband that claimed monetary needs to meet expenses in another world.

Medical men who have exaimend Mrs. Perez, declare her the victim of powerful suggestion and is not responsible.

Madame Dolos Corrade Bay and Professor Hipolite Salazar, a spiritualist, are in prison, while the authorities have communicated with the police of Monterey in an effort to effect the apprehension of Enquire Bay, husband of the madame.

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LITTLE GIRLS SWIM LIKE SWANS ON LAKE

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house. There Mrs. Sterling, who can pull a strong and steady stroke, gets into a rowboat, to be near in case of need.

With her boat well out in the water, Miss Alexa starts out first. She is followed by Dr. Sterling, and, in turn, by little Nora. They have been taught the breast stroke, the strongest and steadiest. Pulling evenly, so that there is no splash or lost energy, they cut through the water splendidly, following the boat as a pacemaker.

The crowd at the boathouse, unless they recognize the swimmers, are at once attracted by the gracefulness of the children in the water, who by being there appear the smaller.

"Can they reach the float," is the first question asked, invariably, as they are seen headed in that direction.

"Of course they can," replies some man, who notes the strong, steady strokes and sees the power that is driving them there.

By this time they have come abreast the raft and instead of stopping there, the trio turn to the side stroke to rest a bit and strike out, hugging the shore—which makes the swim much longer for the dam, a good 300 yards away as the crow flies.

By this time all eyes on the Club house porch are upon the swimmers and it is with the keenest interest their strokes are watched and applauded.

Half-way to the dam they change their stroke again, and it is that sailor stroke that carries them on steadily and surely to the dam.

Never once is there a falter in their swimming, and with Mrs. Sterling watching both, a bit ahead, and Dr. Sterling in hands' reach of each and a strong, sure swimmer, they are as safe there as anywhere.

Arrived at the dam they touch it and draw up to let it be seen they have reached their goal.

Intuitively a shout goes up from the Club house porch and boat house in approval of their prowess.

Those who expect to see them return in the boat, after this remarkable display of strength and vitality, are doomed to a pleasant surprise, for they gracefully let down into the lake again and begin their easy, steady strokes, which will bring them back to the boat house.

Steadily and smoothly they breast the water, every now and then changing strokes for a bit of rest, and returning by the float, to touch there for an instant, and then on to the boat house, where the boat is put up. They are given a good rub down and dress for supper. It is now a feature of the afternoon to see the little "Mermaids," as they are affectionately known, take their afternoon's swim in a manner which is at once the admiration and envy of half of those who watch and approvingly applaud.

HARRIMAN TO BUY ANOTHER ROAD

Hurrying Home to Exercise an Option.

He Will Sail for New York Today, and When He Arrives Will Exercise His Option on Controlling Interest in New York Central Lines.

Paris, August 17.—E. H. Harriman arrived here today by automobile and proceeded immediately to the home of James Stillman. He retired early this evening. According to his friends, the health of Mr. Harriman has been greatly improved during his sojourn in Europe.

Arrangements have been made for Mr. Harriman to sail from Cherbourg tomorrow on the North German Lloyd steamship Kaiser Wilhelm II.

Wall Street Is Interested.

New York, August 17.—E. H. Harriman's home-coming at this time is awaited with interest in view of the recent reports in Wall street that he had obtained an option on a controlling interest in the New York Central lines, which would give an ocean-ocean route. But that this is the reason for his return is but speculation, for no statement has been made to that effect at the Union Pacific offices here or by Mr. Harriman's associates. It was even said at the Union Pacific offices today that no word had been received of his contemplated departure from Cherbourg tomorrow.

To Exercise Option.

The coincidence of the financier's return at a time when the New York Central rumor cropped out strongest, however, is interpreted by Wall street gossip to mean that he will exercise the option upon his arrival here, covering about $50,000,000 worth of stock formerly controlled for the most part by Vanderbilt interests.

Because of the conflicting reports concerning Mr. Harriman today—reports that he would start home this week, reports that he would not, and reports touching on his health—the so-called Harriman stocks fluctuated wildly, and the market generally was unsettled. Union Pacific broke from 29 5-8 to 29¼, but later, when the report on his home-coming was confirmed, Union Pacific rallied and there was a general recovery in sympathy.

New York Central, paradoxically, perhaps, if the reports that Mr. Harriman has obtained control of the road be true, remained steady throughout.

INCREASE OF RATES ON CODE MESSAGES

Announcement Is Made by the Western Union and Postal.

Chicago, August 17.—An increase of rates on code messages was announced yesterday by the Western Union and Postal telegraph companies. The new schedule, aimed at the cipher message, goes into effect September 1. General use of the code system, the companies argue, has had a tendency to complicate traffic.

By the terms of the dictum, cipher messages will be charged at the rate of five letters to the word, instead of ten letters, unless the telegram is built on words which appear in the dictionary. Domestic messages only are affected by the new rule, cable ciphers escaping the increase.

BURGLAR ASSAULTS EIGHT-YEAR-OLD GIRL

After Accomplishing His Purpose the Brute Seriously Stabbed the Child.

Houston, Texas, August 17.—Entering the home of John G. Jennings, on Hardy street, early this morning, a burglar, failing in robbery, criminally assaulted the 8-year-old daughter and then stabbed the child with a knife. She will probably die.

The little girl's screams awakened her 16-year-old sister, who was sleeping in the room, just in time to see the burglar escape through a window.

GUNS TRAINED ON THE CRETANS

Powers Will Lower the Greek Flag Today.

The Cretans Have Been Warned That Irreparable Consequences Will Follow Any Attack That May Be Made on the Landing Party.

Canea, Island of Crete, August 17.—The international squadron sent to enforce the lowering of the Greek flag raised by the people of Crete, anchored in Canea bay this afternoon. The squadron is composed of British, French, Russian and Italian warships.

The foreign consuls here, on behalf of the international squadron, notified the Cretan government that the Greek flag will be hauled down on Wednesday morning and they warned the government that irreparable consequences would follow any attack upon the international landing party.

On receipt of this warning, the Cretan authorities issued an appeal to the people not to obstruct in any way the action of the powers.

60 FEET IN AIR, HE FACES DEATH

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he entered the employ of the tinning establishment of C. A. Gouge, of 74 Ivy street, and was sent, with Robert Drake, to repair the roof of Dr. Charles O. Smith, at 315 Capitol avenue. Drake is about 21 years of age, and resides on Homer street.

A 70-foot ladder was placed on the side of the residence of Dr. Smith by the two men. Tippin climbed up to do the repair work, taking with him the long strip of tin. Nearing the top, the tin became so heavy that Drake gave assistance.

When Tippin reached the top of the roof he braced his feet against the boxed gutter, leaned forward, and began to pull up the tin.

While both men were holding the tin, a gust of wind suddenly caught it up like a ribbon and threw it over and across an uninsulated electric wire, the end flying out of Drake's hand.

Frightful Shock Received.

The contact with the wire sent a frightful shock through Tippin's body, and the other end of the tin flying down gave Drake a shock which knocked him from the ladder, some eight or ten feet to the earth.

Unable to release his hold on the tin, Tippin fell backward, and danced about on the roof, holding the tin until Drake came to his aid.

When Drake climbed the ladder, he found that the tin was burning into Tippin's hands, and that his shoes were scorching. It was later discovered that one of the shoes was destroyed about the sole, where a large hole was burned in the current passing passing to the earth.

Then came the proposition of moving Tippin to a place of safety. Drake discovered that it would be impossible to carry the wounded man down the ladder alone. So he climbed back down the ladder, first telephoned to the Grady hospital for the ambulance, and then called for assistance.

Two ladders were secured and placed in a parellel position on the other side of the house. Drake picked Tippin up on his shoulders, the young man at that time being in an almost unconscious condition and groaning with pain, and with the assistance of the man on the parallel ladder he carried him safely to the ground.

WOMAN IS ATTACKED BY NEGRO CONVICT

Little Six-Year-Old Boy Saves Mother From Probable Death.

Cordele, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—But for the bravery of her little 6-year-old boy, Mrs. Crumpler, who lives about 8 miles from Cordele, would probably have been killed by a negro trusty, Seth Odam, who had dragged her by the heels out of the house into a nearby field. The boy seized an ax handle and beat the negro over the head with it.

The woman's screams attracted a young man who was plowing some distance away in a field, and he came to her assistance. On seeing the man approaching the negro fled.

A large posse was formed, dogs were obtained, and the negro was caught and lodged in Crisp county jail.

Sheriff John Ward made the arrest, and hurried him to jail. There is talk of lynching the negro, but up to this time nothing has developed. It is believed that the negro intended to kill Mrs. Crumpler.

The negro is about twenty years of age.

BUSINESS IMPROVING, DECLARES YOAKUM

The Rock Island Man Says That Improvement Is General.

Oklahoma City, Okla., August 17.—B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the executive committee of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Company, who is making a tour of the west to observe crop and general business conditions, said today:

"I find that business conditions are good, and that improvement is general all along the line.

"Cotton is in good condition. In some sections it needs rain. The corn crop has been hurt in Oklahoma in some sections, but there will be more corn than last year by reason of increased acreage."

Chasing Bank Robbers.

Tulsa, Okla., August 17.—Several posses are in pursuit today of two desperadoes who killed Marshal J. W. Inford and fatally wounded Cashier Palmer Wedding in an unsuccessful attempt to rob the state bank of Keifer, 14 miles south of here last night. The citizens of Keifer are aroused, and the robbers will probably be lynched if captured alive.

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FAVORABLE REPORT ON FULLER BILL

Agreed to by Committee of Alabama Senate.

Newspaper Men in Montgomery Claim They Have Enough Votes in Senate to Kill the Advertising Section.

Montgomery, Ala., August 17.—The senate committee on temperance has agreed to report the drastic Fuller prohibition bill favorably, after striking from it the section prohibiting newspapers from publishing advertisements of intoxicants. The newspaper men who are here in opposition to the section declare that they have more than a majority of votes in the senate against the section, but it is understood the prohibition senators will agree to leaving it out.

The bill will be reported tomorrow, but it will not come up for passage before Thursday or Friday.

The house was in session tonight until 10 o'clock, working on unimportant measures.

The house today passed the bill providing a uniform jury system for the state. It empowers the governor to appoint a jury commission for each county, which shall draw the names for service.

WAVES OF HEAT STILL RAMPANT

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souri the temperatures were near the hundred mark all the afternoon.

From Kansas points comes the report that the heat is not damaging corn seriously. Recent heavy rains put it in such good shape that the crop is practically "made."

Hottest Ever at Little Rock.

Little Rock, Ark., August 17.—With a maximum temperature of 105 today was the hottest day Little Rock has experienced since July, 1901. The temperature of 84 recorded by the weather bureau at 7 a. m. was the highest recorded at that hour in the United States, it is said. The humidity read only 17 per cent at 3 o'clock, when the average humidity for the month is 70 per cent. Two prostrations were recorded.

A hot wind swept the city throughout the day.

104 Degrees at Shreveport.

Shreveport, La., August 17.—With the thermometer at 104 degrees in the shade at 4 o'clock this afternoon, Shreveport sweltered in the hottest weather recorded in 11 years. There was a breeze from the northwest all day, but the wind was hot and vegetation wilted. Cotton planters are overjoyed, as the intense heat will destroy the boll weevil.

One Death at New Orleans.

New Orleans, August 17.—The first death in New Orleans this summer as a result of the heat occurred this afternoon. Davis Griffith, a seaman on the Morgan line steamer Antilles, died within an hour after being prostrated. The maximum temperature recorded at the local office of the United States weather bureau today was 95 degrees.

120 at Fort Worth.

Fort Worth, Texas, August 17.—With the weather bureau thermometer registering 111 degrees from 2:15 to 3:15 this afternoon, and street thermometers in the business districts recording 120 degrees, today was the hottest in the history of Fort Worth, so far as there is any record. Suffering of man and beast was intense, and business to a large extent was interfered with.

Scorching hot winds sweeping across the prairies added much to the general discomfort, but no prostration was reported.

Hottest of Year.

Dallas, Texas, August 17.—Today is the hottest of the year, the thermometer registering 108 1-2 at the government observatory here.

All Rain Records Broken.

New York, August 17.—All records for rainfall during the month of August, as kept by the New York weather bureau, were broken by the steady downpour that began at 8 a. m. yesterday and ended this afternoon. Up to 4 p. m. the precipitation amounted to 8.48 inches. The greatest velocity of the wind was 36 miles an hour.

FORMER PRESIDENT TELLS OF FAILURE

Judge Newman Calls Witness Down for Making Improper Statements.

Asheville, N. C., August 17.—Spending the entire day on the witness stand in his own behalf, Major Breese, former president of the First National bank, was again the center of interest in today's hearing of the Breese-Dickerson bank case. At one time during the progress of Breese's testimony Judge Newman admonished the witness with some show of feeling that he should not testify as to matters that were manifestly incompetent. The judge's remarks were called forth by a statement from the witness to the effect that "any man in Transylvania county would confirm his statement." The major expressed his regret to the judge and proceeded with his testimony.

Major Breese was still on the stand when court adjourned until tomorrow.

JUST VULGAR STEAL, DECLARES JEROME

District Attorney Says There Was No Conspiracy Against Heinze.

New York, August 17.—In opposing a plea for a reduction of the $50,000 bond under which Donald L. Persch, a note broker, is being held on a grand larceny indictment, District Attorney Jerome today declared that, although he at first believed that the wrongful sales of Heinze mining stock collateral in which Persch is alleged to have figured was but one of the ramifications of a conspiracy in which "men in high finance" had "combined to crush a rival," he is now convinced it was a vulgar steal.

The district attorney declared that "a financial institution had been unjustly placed in the public eye," and declared that a breach of trust by an employee was responsible.

RABBI SALANT DEAD.

He Was Head of Jewish Congregation at Jerusalem.

New York, August 17.—A cable message received here announces the death in Jerusalem of Samuel Salant, rabbi of Jerusalem.

Samuel Salant was chief rabbi of the Ashkenzic congregation. He was born on January 1, 1816, at Bialystok, Russia. He married the daughter of Sundl of Salant and assumed the name Salant.

At an early age his lungs became affected and he was advised to seek a warmer climate. This induced him in 1840 to go with his wife and son, Benjamin Belnish, to Jerusalem.

Salant was an eminent Talmudist.

BIG SLTIL RAIDED BY MACON OFFICIALS

Evidence Was Insufficient to Convict.

United States Marshal Frank Riley Raids a Big Still Near Molena---Other Stills Discovered by Officers.

Macon, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—United States Deputy Marshal Frank Riley and Deputy Collector Theo Basch were busy in a big still near Molena, in Pike county, last night, and destroyed one that runs on more than 80 gallons of "mountain dew." The officers failed to get in as they thought they would when the outfit was in actual operation, but they brought J. W. Jones to Macon with them. On investigation before United States Commissioner W. E. Martin, Jr., evidence was insufficient to justify holding the man, and he was released.

The officers went further into Upson county and found another lot of fine beer, just ready for the still. A site had been selected and bricked up, but the still was hidden and no man could be found who was willing to own the plant. The officers destroyed much property on the raid.

BABELIVED BUT 3 WEEKS, BUT SAVED BIG FORTUNE

Frankfort, Ky., August 17.— The 3-weeks-old daughter of J. F. and Clementine Deshon, the "$100,000 baby," died today at their home.

It was the birth of this child which saved to Mrs. Deshon and Mrs. Clark, nieces of the late James A. Holt, the $100,000 farm in this county, which was to have gone to the Clark Masonic lodge, of Jeffersonville, Ind., if they died without issue.

Lawyers here say the lodge can have no claim upon the property.

Taft Plays Golf in Rain.

Beverly, Mass., August 17.—President Taft braved a northeast storm and a steady downpour of rain to play 18 holes of golf at Myopia with Charles P. Taft, his brother, and Samuel Carr, of Boston, a cousin, as opponents.

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ATLANTA, GA., August 18, 1909.

Next month—the oyster!

Even the dog days fail to take the bark off the progressive country.

What Crete seems to be hungering for is a good, international spanking.

A girl can get a lot of fun out of an engagement, when it's to another girl's fiance.

Still, suppose Bwana Tumbo should break loose on the lecture platform upon his return!

Abdul Hamid has throat trouble. Probably from trying to swallow recent humiliations.

If society uses the knife on criminals, as suggested, it would only be returning the compliment.

Why couldn't that Atlanta man have stayed here for his aerial flight instead of going to Louisville?

How would Kansas get in the eastern newspapers if it were not for the perennial cry for harvest hands?

Torture of criminals has reached the limit in Chicago, where one was given his first bath in three years.

It appears that what Spain now needs is a leader approximating the genius, if not the cruelty, of Cortez.

It is reported that a county in New York has decreed a speed limit for aeroplanes. Who will arrest the violators?

The "bloodless" soldiers around Poston were given an early breakfast of beans. We don't blame them for fighting!

One of the summer books is called "The Need of Change." No one will dispute it, especially about the 10th of the month.

What did the trusts do in the days of Adam, when the cost of living was no higher than the price of sitting under a bread-fruit tree?

Kentucky is trying to revive the whisky without "one headache to the barrel." The kind being blind-tigered around here has one to the drink.

Some cruel genius has proposed quieting the cry for woman suffrage by stipulating that all women over forty years would be entitled to vote.

Judge Lindsay's remarks regarding hereditary influences in crime make it the more apparent that one should exercise care in the selection of his ancestors.

Theodore, Jr., is now going up in the air. Here is a first-class opportunity for the Undesirable Citizens' club to make remarks touching hereditary influences.

Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh wants to make our currency "more beautiful." The average American doesn't quarrel with the quality so much as the quantity of the present specimens.

It is to be hoped the railroads will take time by the forelock and supplement their equipment while there is yet time. Commissioner Knapp, of the interstate commerce commission, has declared that unprecedented prosperity is approaching this autumn, and that the carriers will again be unable to handle congested traffic. His prophecy is only confirmation of that which has come from a dozen usually infallible sources. In recovering from protracted industrial depression, it is undesirable that the country should be subjected to the handicap of insufficient transportation, a factor which impeded business just before the development of the panic.

ABSURDITIES AND "LOST MOTION" IN GEORGIA LEGISLATURE.

With comprehensible reluctance, Governor Brown has approved a local bill enacted by the recent legislature whereby the county of Bartow places certain restrictions upon automobile traffic—far less drastic, however, than proposed in the bill as introduced. In fact, there is nothing materially objectionable in the provisions of the bill as finally enacted; it is, possibly, a good law. But the precedent of enacting local county laws upon matters of state-wide interest and concern, and which should be covered by statutes of general application, is an evil about which complaint may well be made.

Many of the residents of Cartersville and Bartow protested against the measure, fearing that it will injure the chances of the county in the projected government highway from Chattanooga to Atlanta—but of this they are, perhaps, unduly apprehensive.

The specific instance is cited, not in isolated criticism of Bartow county, but rather as an illustration of the illogical trivialities in our system of law-making, giving rise, in a great majority of cases, to "lost motion" in the functions of the general assembly as well as such endless conflict in local legislation as must inevitably produce inestimable chaos and confusion.

Suppose, for example, each one of the 146 counties in Georgia took it upon themselves to frame separate codes for the regulation of automobile traffic. The result would be a patchwork of conflicting regulations beside which Joseph's coat of many colors would be simplicity personified, and the man driving from one county to another would be compelled, in self-protection, to take along with him a legal expert to harmonize the differing road laws.

The same absolute lack of uniformity in legislation makes it possible for the respective counties, if they are so minded, to secure conflicting, perhaps foolish, restrictions upon other vehicle traffic, and there is no guarantee that the condition would not extend into repressive, perhaps conflicting, regulations upon traction engines, or to any other department wherein the counties may exercise individual discretion.

That is just one of the evils of the system. The fundamental one is that the general assembly should be called upon to waste the state's time in passing upon legislation of a purely local nature, which could as well be settled by a designated state department or, in many instances, by the counties themselves, or the courts.

As a result, the end of each session sees the state archives overburdened with an overwhelming preponderance of trivial local measures toward which the attitude of the general assembly, when it is not that of an arbiter, is simply that of a mechanical legalizing agency.

Up to a few years ago, the same method was pursued with regard to the chartering of railroads. There was no uniformity in the drawing of charters and the ingenuity of shrewd lawyers was frequently able to get past the general assembly documents giving specific railroads privileges out of all proportions to those accorded others just as deserving, imposing meanwhile on the state incalculable confusion in the statutes governing the carriers.

The legislature finally saw the folly of such a policy, and enacted a uniform provision for the chartering of railroads, constituting the secretary of state the responsible tribunal for issuance.

Some such method must be devised with regard to the flood of local legislation that now largely monopolizes the time of the general assembly and clutters the records of the state with a mass of petty duplicated matter.

Strike out the lost motion in legislative functions arising from the present practice, and in all probability a biennial session of twenty-five days would suffice for purposes of general legislation, the only sort that should engage the attention of the general assembly.

As it is, however, the projected biennial sessions bill has been so amended that sixty-day two-year sessions are provided, a concession that should remove the last objection to this badly needed reform.

At the last analysis, the state is suffering from a conflicting accumulation of virtually general legislation by local whims. Until uniformity is permanently introduced, Georgia will continue to appear ridiculous and the state's money will be wasted.

MAKING GRADY HOSPITAL SELF-SUSTAINING.

No one in Atlanta in the slightest degree familiar with the conditions under which the Grady Hospital is operating questions that this vital municipal institution has radically outgrown the facilities originally provided.

Developments at the hospital this summer have emphasized the situation. As in the past, patients have been crowded into the corridors and the overflow has even gone into the surrounding yards, introducing conditions fundamentally opposed to proper and effective treatment.

Superintendent Summerall and the trustees and Atlantans who have investigated the subject realize that any measures to be effctual must be of a sweeping nature. No sum short of $100,000 will place the present equipment in an environment even resembling that of the modern municipal sanitarium.

Even with this much accomplished in the projected bond issue, there would be the ever-recurring expense of up-keep. Year after year, although conducted under the most economical of methods, the hospital has piled up a deficit, and funds appropriated for pressing improvements and repairs have, perforce, been diverted to sheer maintenance purposes.

Dr. Summerall now proposes a plan which will automatically solve these various problems. Hardly a day passes that he does not receive application, in and out of Atlanta, from the surrounding states in many instances, for treatment from patients who are willing and able to pay regular sanitarium prices. These applications he is, of course, compelled to refuse, for the reason that the hospital cannot even accommodate the demands of charity patients.

His suggestion contemplates allotting Grady $200,000 in the bond issue. With half of that sum he would erect a department devoted to pay patients. It is his contention that the income from this source would, by taking care of interest and sinking-fund charges, more than pay for the entire $200,000 spent in improvement and reconstruction.

Considering that it would be nothing short of criminal neglect for the city much longer to ignore conditions at the hospital, the suggestion of Superintendent Summerall merits careful investigation.

THE NEW CITY ATTORNEY AND HIS ASSISTANT.

The action of the city council in electing James L. Mayson as city attorney, succeeding the late William P. Hill, and Mr. Mayson's action, in turn, in selecting W. D. Ellis, Jr., as his assistant, reorganizes the legal department of Atlanta upon a basis of proved ability and experience in both instances.

For a number of years Mr. Mayson served the city with distinction in the capacity of city attorney, resigning of his own volition. Later he returned to that department in the capacity of assistant to his former associate, the late William P. Hill. He has an enviable record of achievement and thoroughness in the prosecution of municipal litigation, his career as city attorney and assistant extending over a period during which that office has been subjected to many exacting and various tests.

Council has done the only logical thing in designating Mr. Mayson as successor to Mr. Hill. No more fortunate choice could have been made.

Mr. Mayson and the city of Atlanta are also to be congratulated on the formers's selection of Mr. Ellis as assistant city attorney.

As a lawyer of ability and experience, and also as a former member of city council and through his association with several departmental boards, he has acquired knowledge and equipment that admirably qualify him to be of great service to the city. No better selection could have been made.

The new and vastly important era upon which this city is entering necessitates men of high ability in the legal department. In every conceivable respect that need is fully met in the personnel of the force just announced.

THE TRAGEDY OF A THRONE.

Persia's 11-year-old shah exhibits vastly more common sense than his entourage of protectors and advisers in opposing their plans to force him into a state marriage.

But the real tragedy of his situation lies in the enforced separation from his mother and father, the deposed shah, and his childlike cry for a home, that appeals more strongly to him than all the gaudy trappings of a royal throne. Morbid melancholia drove him recently, according to press dispatches, to attempted suicide, and insofar as the effect upon the child-king is concerned, he might just as well have been transferred from his home to a dungeon cell as to have been placed upon the seat of the "kings of all kings."

Americans will sympathize with the efforts, now apparently successful, to constitutionalize Turkey and to secure greater liberties to the people; but they must feel, too, for the little Persian king, torn from a home against his will, to be made the pawn in a great political game whose issue may sweep him from the boards even more ruthlessly than it did his father.

Persia's great progressive movement is not without its curious inconsistencies, chief of which is the clinging to the fetich that the shah is the vice regent of the prophet, and must, therefore, be regarded as superior to all law—a fiction which the Persians themselves wholly disregardod when they removed from the throne Ali Mirza, the father of the baby shah whose ambitions for power, if he ever had any, are now all swallowed up in home-sickness.

The very act of dethronement in the face of such a belief is a recognition of the well-established republican principle that the people are the ultimate source of government and its powers.

But Persia, like China, cannot dissipate in a day the tenets of a national creed which some thousands of years of teaching and practice have firmly embedded in the national mind. Hence the necessity for the embodiment of a false idea—the maintenance of a towering obstacle in the pathway of progress. And the little shah is made a martyr to an idea.

In the meantime, Russia, England and Germany are looking on with greedy eyes, each restrained from laying hand upon the enfeebled empire only by the watchful rivalry of the others.

The melancholic little ruler may welcome the enforced abdication that is now predicted.

He can lend no strength or force to a government which now has need of a strong and forceful ruler, exercising his powers within constitutional limitations.

Abdication, therefore, will make little difference to him, so long as it permits him to go back home.

"JUST FROM GEORGIA"

Song of Money.

I.

Money's not all things, my honey,
But think of what money will buy!
Castles as high
As your dreams o' the sky
When lone in a cabin you sigh!
Carriages — horses — an' everything fine—
Liveried in halls where you dine.

II.

Money's not all things, my honey,
But O for the gleam o' the gold!
Rubies an' rings
For queens an' for kings,
An' a big easy chair when you're old!
But one thing it buys not—an' that's what I know!—
Your love—an' the dear arms that necklace me so!

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Nailed Down.

"Des ter think," said the colored brother, "dat all de streets er paradice is paved with gold, en all de dynamite is down in de other place!"

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Fair Exchange.

Ever more we borrow
Of the rainbow's ray;
Grief can take tomorrow
If joy will give today!

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His Lucid Explanation.

"Ef you please, suh," said the colored citizen, "I come fur my 'freedom papers.'"

"Your 'freedom papers?'"

"Yes, suh; ain't you the man what married me?"

"I'm the man;—but what do you want me for now?"

"Well, suh, I ain't got no eddication nuff ter say it lak' de law say it—but, I wants you ter onmarry me—onjine me—put me asunder—make me one again, not two, en sen' me on my freedom honeymoon!"

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Word From Br'er Williams.

Ef we kin des slip into glory an' no questions asked, how good it will be to des rest an' rest!

"Sheriff levied on the paper," says a rural editor, "ran it six weeks and then didn't have enough sense to take the right train for the lunatic asylum!"

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A Tribute to a Poet.

He "writes for all the magazines,"
And his work is never declined.
You see those "ads" for sewing machines?
They came from his wondrous mind!

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In Happy Land.

Li'l' pickaninnies
Swingin' on de gate,
Daddy wid a fishing pole—
Gallon-jug er bait.

River des a-whirlin'
De water lilies 'roun,'
Nigger wid a catfish,
Weighin' twenty pound!

Ain't de country bloomin'?
Talk er happy land—
'Lindy, light de fire,
En fetch de fryin' pan!

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Keep the Lid On.

"Wisdom ain't confined ter any locality," says Brother Dickey, "but its a good idea fer any locality what got it ter hold it down."

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A Favored Section.

"What are you all a-doin' 'bout de race problem?"

"Nuttin' 'tall. Dey ain't enough race problem in dis section ter make a nigger climb a tree, en ten ter one, ef he did climb it, he'd find a big, fat 'possum in de tip top!"

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If the divorce industry keeps up its record, pretty soon you'll be reading signs like the following, side by side:

"Couples married cheap for cash."

"Couples divorced while you wait."

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Good News to the Debtors.

A new prophet has risen who predicts that the world will come to an end in September next—exact date not given. If he proves a true prophet, one won't have to worry over the interest on that ninety-day note.

F. L. S.

Letters From the People

What About This?

Editor Constitution: I want to ask about your very high rate on cotton seed, if you can't get something done about that? They are the highest in effect in the south, and I believe we have about the lowest. But every time we try to get anything done about all our other rates that are high, the railroads proceed to show how good they are by pointing out that we are allowed much lower rates on cotton seed than yours!

In South Carolina cotton seed is carried, per car of 20,000 pounds, at class L, but the roads charge you at class G, which averages about 30 per cent above our class L rates.

Here is a comparison for stated distances, in cents per 100 pounds:

Miles—	25	50	75	100	150	200	250
Georgia	6.6	8.4	9	9.6	10.5	11.6	13
South Car.	3.1	4.1	5.2	6	7.2	8.5	9.7

E. CAMPBELL,
Manager South Carolina Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association.
Columbia, S. C., August 14, 1909.

A Confederate's Inquiry.

Editor Constitution: Please publish the following and oblige:

If any of the old ex-confederate soldiers who were with me in Rock Island prison during the civil war are living, please write me a few lines. I wish to hear from every one of you once more in life. I will call a few names that I remember. My old friend Bridges, my young friends, the two Layfields, Northcutt, Lenard Newberry, Scarborough, Shipp, Patrick, Prior, Sewell, Edgar Mathews and others. I was in barracks 29. All write to me. I will answer every letter. I have something good to tell every one. God-bless the old confeds. Direct thusly,

SAMUEL F. PARKER,
Wilsons, S. C., R. F. D. No. 1.

Service Pension Bill.

Editor Constitution: The Georgia legislature will no doubt be praying ere long to the people—forgive us—"we have done many things we ought not to have done and left undone many things which we ought to have done."

We spent nearly one-half of the session wrangling over the suspension by Governor Smith of Mr. McLendon as railroad commissioner; increased the appropriations several thousand dollars; passed a dog law; raised the tax on near beer, after consuming more time and money discussing it than the increase will bring the state.

We refused to pass the service pension bill; ignored the people on the bill for biennial sessions, two of the most important bills to the people of the state, and without any reasonable excuse for so doing.

The service pension question is a constitutional amendment, ratified by the people by a majority of twenty thousand. The legislature was required by that amendment to provide for carrying the same into effect. The house by a practically unanimous vote, passed a bill in accordance with the constitution and sent it to the senate five days before adjournment. The senate committee, it is alleged, tabled it in committee without any reason for it whatever.

They put the beer tax into the general fund in order to secure their own per diem, when they ought to have reduced their own pay to about $2 per day; that's all they were worth. They can get board at one dollar per day; not very good board, of course, but a sight better than some of them get at home!

They reduced three or four thousand old veterans, widows and children to tears and suffering by withholding from them that which they have a constitutional right to receive and for which they are greatly disappointed and justly indignant. The house is the place where all appropriations must originate, and it is supposed to know where the money is to come from to meet each appropriation; and the service pension bill carried an appropriation of two hundred thousand dollars.

Did the president of the senate appoint a committee on pensions who were known to be opposed to the bill and to the constitutional amendment? Was it an attempt to vindicate the opinions of ex-Governor Smith, who advocated quarterly payments of pensions; which caused such dissatisfaction in 1907, and who refused to approve or disapprove the bill to submit the question to a vote of the people?

The legislature sustained the ex-governor in discharging Mr. McLendon under a charge of violating the provisions of the Macon platform; yet they refused to sustain the people, twenty thousand majority and the constitution of the state. Is not the constitution, which they swore to sustain, protect and defend, more important and binding than any political platform? Is not the rights of confederate veterans, their widows and orphans more important than the vindication of the ex-governor a doubtful question, and at great expense to the people of Georgia?

Has the state senate forty-four men as a small committee from the same the right to disregard the constitution and the will of a large majority of the white people of the state, expressed by a vote, and slap every confederate veteran and widow in the face and say: The people be damned? Let the veterans, widows, sons and daughters answer.

J. L. COBB, SR.
Atlanta, Ga., August 14, 1909.

AMERICANS TO AID MEXICAN GOVERNMENT

Are Forming a Military Company in the City of Mexico.

New Orleans, August 17.—Members of the American Club of the City of Mexico are forming a military company, which will tender its services to the Mexican government for the protection of American residents, if any necessity for the same should arise, according to W. G. Parrier, of Mexico. Mr. Parrier is in New Orleans en route to the east.

"SUN CRACKS" CAUSED BY THE INTENSE HEAT

Train Schedules in the West Are Being Seriously Infered With.

Fort Worth, Texas, August 17.—Advices from some sections of the state report "sun cracks" interfering with train schedules on railroads in the southwest. In some places the roadbeds are cracked open on account of the intense heat and prolonged dry weather, throwing rails out of line. A number of roads have issued orders instructing trains to decrease their regular rate of speed.

A GAIN OF $20,000,000 SHOWN IN TAX RETURNS

Only Six Counties Still to Be Heard From—Laxity of Tax System Shown by Figures in Eloquent Terms.

With only six counties yet to be heard from, the net increase in the tax returns of Georgia, as shown by the tax digest in the office of Comptroller General William A. Wright, is approximately $20,000,000.

The exact figures are $19,370,007. The net increase for 1909 as compared to 1908 is $22,747,318. The decreases are $2,377,311. The counties which are yet to report are Bartow, Burke, Greene, Jenkins, Schley and Washington.

One hundred and one counties show increases, while thirty-nine show decreases. The total increase is two and one-half times that of 1908 over 1907. The increase in corporation tax returns so far received is only $242,873.

"Just Passing 'Round the Hat."

The truth of the charge that the taxation laws of Georgia only amount to passing around the hat, is impressed by a study of the figures in the reports made to the comptroller general. The various counties have made a law unto themselves in the matter of making the returns.

A number of amusing excuses were made as to the reason why certain counties should show decreases, while adjoining counties showed substantial increases. One tax receiver wrote that the returns would have been larger, but he himself had been sick. In another county local taxation was expected to be high and the property immediately shrunk in value, the result being that the returns from the higher rate of taxation will be no greater than last year under a smaller tax rate. There is no state law by which tax receivers permitting such practices can be reached.

It is estimated that if all the personal property in Georgia which now escapes taxation could be placed on the tax books the total taxable values in Georgia would increase from $700,000,000, where they now stand, to $1,500,000,000 or even $2,000,000,000.

Returns by Counties.

The returns by counties made to the comptroller general to date follow:

County.	Increase.	Decrease.
Appling		$ 60,510
Baker		9,514
Baldwin	$121,793	
Banks		3,495
Bartow		
Ben Hill	192.253	
Berrien	177,569	
Bibb	1,250,555	
Brooks	210,180	
Bryan	13,749	
Bulloch		50,430
Burke		
Butts	216,000	
Calhoun	216,000	
Camden	33,457	
Campbell	173,930	
Carroll	131,511	
Catoosa	33,973	
Charlton		32,927
Chatham	1,002,905	
Chattahoochee	3,401	
Chattooga		81,228
Cherokee	221,277	
Clarke	428,425	
Clay	19,696	
Clayton		90,470
Clinch	326,807	
Cobb	421,080	
Coffee		30,263
Colquitt	101,201	
Columbia	122,487	
Coweta	$9,936	
Crawford		11,530
Crisp	45,456	
Dade	124,897	
Dawson	11,746	
Decatur	187,619	
DeKalb	754,945	
Dodge	29,029	
Dooly	70,240	
Dougherty		89,343
Douglas	117,862	
Early		200,980
Echols	26,903	
Effingham	$9,921	
Elbert	35,808	
Emanuel		153,845
Fannin	278,374	
Fayette	167,096	
Floyd	601,125	
Forsyth	71,774	
Franklin		12,828
Fulton	6,297,750	
Gilmer	65,642	
Glascock		2,261
Glynn		6,885
Gordon	204,112	
Grady		38,470
Greene		
Gwinnett	55,240	
Habersham	85,853	
Hall	427,593	
Hancock		21,317
Haralson		20,888
Harris	9,305	
Hart		132,329
Heard	12,069	
Henry		227,034
Houston	178,897	
Irwin	74,800	
Jackson	40,567	
Jasper		14,381
Jeff Davis	124,101	
Jefferson		26,263
Johnson	147,924	
Jones		31,855
Laurens	614,146	
Lee	170,022	
Liberty	125,376	
Lincoln	36,550	
Lowndes	581,959	
Lumpkin	100,874	
Macon	67,976	
Madison	92,403	
Marion	40,941	
McDuffie		26
McIntosh		80,202
Meriwether	185,000	
Miller		89,770
Milton	66,991	
Mitchell	127,687	
Monroe	211,757	
Montgomery	426,818	
Morgan	102,135	
Murray	40,813	
Muscogee	338,511	
Newton	18,459	
Oconee	50,549	
Oglethorpe	72,886	
Paulding	162,196	
Pickens	6,794	
Pierce		80,114
Pike	33,922	
Polk	147,506	
Pulaski	312,872	
Putnam	49,339	
Quitman	7,875	
Rabun	23,242	
Randolph	42,945	
Richmond (est.)	200,000	
Schley		
Screven		32,907
Spalding	334,368	
Stephens		37,947
Stewart	111,375	
Sumter	81,538	
Talbot	12,079	
Taliaferro	72,720	
Tattnall		134,463
Taylor		2,093
Telfair		15,435
Terrell	35,946	
Thomas	20,815	
Tift		152,738
Toombs	247,939	
Towns	25,667	
Troup	219,716	
Turner	27,918	
Twiggs	17,600	
Union		1,556
Upson	35,315	
Walker	13,295	
Walton	413,582	
Ware		269,020
Warren		17,954
Washington		
Wayne	50,654	
Webster		10,205
White	33,004	
Whitefield	136,094	
Wilcox		1,720
Wilkes	61,095	
Wilkinson	1,086	
Worth	9,321	
Total increases.	$22,747,318	
Total decreases		$2,377,311
Net increase		$19,370,007

RAILROADS ORDERED TO ACCEPT SHIPMENTS

Roads Had Refused to Accept Certain Kinds of Freight.

As a result of many complaints received by the railroad commission to the effect that some of the railroad companies of the state are refusing to receive for shipment less than carload lots of brick, sewer pipe and similar articles, except where they are boxed and crated or each article is marked with the name of the consignee and destination, the commission has issued an order declaring that such action of the railway companies is unreasonable and not authorized by any rule of the commission.

The commission orders that insofar as such shipments are made between points in his state, all railroad companies shall accept shipments of brick, sewer pipe and like articles not specifically required to be packed by the classification of the commission, in less than carload quantities without requiring same to be boxed or crated and without requiring that each article shall be marked, "provided that some of the articles shall be properly marked or such other shipping instructions be given the carrier as will afford necessary information for the transportation and delivery thereof."

Another order just issued by the commission directs Rate Expert George F. Montgomery, to systematize and make a proper record of all stocks and bonds of all the corporations under the commission's jurisdiction, and also a report of all the rules made and inforced by such corporations. The order further directs that all such corporations shall furnish to the rate expert any information which may be necessary to enable him to comply with this order.

W. M. LEGG APPLIES FOR COMMISSION JOB

Applications for Appointment Are Now Coming in Slowly.

Applications for appointment to the position of railroad commissioner to fill the vacancy created by the legislative removal of former Chairman McLendon, are not coming in as rapidly as might be expected.

Whether it is that the would-be applicants are frightened off by the prospect of a lawsuit for the possession of the office even if they should get it, or just don't want it anyhow, has not been made apparent.

The only application for the appointment received yesterday came from W. M. Legg, of Macon, a well-known railroad man, and one who is said to have had considerable experience in the traffic department. Mr. Legg formerly held a prominent position with the Georgia, Florida and Alabama railroad in southwest Georgia.

It is pretty well settled that Governor Brown will not act in this matter until the latter part of the week and perhaps not before the first of next week.

MANY ASK POSITIONS WHICH DO NOT EXIST

Governor Brown Receives Letters From All Sections of the State.

Governor Brown has received from various sections of the state some twenty-five or thirty letters from persons who are urging him to appoint them to jobs which do not exist.

Some of them want to be game commissioner, others state auditor and still others state veterinary.

Bills for the creation of all of these positions are pending before the general assembly, but none of them passed, hence there are no jobs of this sort to be given out.

Secretary Hardy Ulm says he doesn't mind reading the letters, even though he does have to go through some 300 communications every day, but he thinks those who want these jobs ought to be put on notice that they are not yet in existence, so that they may be saved the trouble of writing letters about them.

One man who wanted to be game commissioner went so far as to spend several days securing endorsements from among his friends in his section of the state.

The legislature will decide the fate of these offices at its session next summer.

CAR-BREAKER CAPTURED.

Was Discovered Sunday Night, but Escaped.

Toccoa, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—Officer John W. Partee, of the Southern railway, added another link to his chain of successful captures today by arresting Charles Holcombe, alias Irving, who is badly wanted by railway authorities for breaking freight cars.

His latest offense was committed Sunday night, when he endeavored to rog a freight between Toccoa and Ayersville. He was discovered in a car by the conductor, who locked him in. He managed to break the window of the car, however, and escaped from the moving train. Special Officer Porter began a search for him this morning, which resulted in his capture. He will be held here for the November term of the superior court.

Important New Industry.

Dublin, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—An industry which promises to become one of the most important in this section of the country is the Southland Lumber and Veneer Company, which has its plant in course of construction on the banks of the Oconee river, in this city. The company was lately reorganized by the election of Frank J. Garbutt, of Sandersville, as president; J. M. Finn, of this city, as treasurer, and F. J. Schulz, of Grand Rapids, Mich., as superintendent. Stock amounting to more than $50,000 was subscribed and work on the plant is now progressing rapidly. The company will use hardwood, of which there is an abundance in the swamps near Dublin. A supply sufficient to last at least ten years has already been contracted for.

Eyeglasses That Stay On

Many people have trouble in keeping eyeglasses on, specially in warm weather. We have given this point careful study and have had long, practical experience. Although we have every style of guard and device of value made for holding eyeglasses in place, we sometimes find it necessary to especially design guards, in particularly difficult cases. It is seldom that we find a person whom we can not fit satisfactorily with nose-glasses. Do not be discouraged. Give us the opportunity to fit them.

A. K. Hawkes Co.
OPTICIANS
14 Whitehall--125 Peachtree

KEGS BY MILLIONS MADE IN ATLANTA

Reorganization of the Atlanta Barrel and Keg Company.

By the reorganization of the Atlanta Barrel and Keg Company, recently effected, one of the most important industries in this section is placed upon a permanent foundation and given endless scope for the growth that will inevitably ensue.

The company is now headed by V. J. Blow, of Louisville, Ky., who has bought the interest of H. B. Downing, while Henry W. Grady will continue in the capacity of treasurer and manager of the enlarged company.

Mr. Blow is president of Hiram Blow & Co., Louisville, the largest manufacturers of cooperage in the United States. This company owns heading and cooperage and stave plants in every portion of the south, and practically sets the price of all staves sold in the country.

The plant of the Atlanta Barrel and Keg Company is located at Hapeville. Established only a few years ago, its business has developed, until now it supplies practically all barrels and kegs used by the factories of Atlanta, shipping large quantities to other portions of the south. Its largest patron is the Coca-Cola Company, whose product goes all over the world in Atlanta-made packages. The turpentine and soft drink manufacturers generally have found a large saving in time and expense in securing their cooperage so close at hand.

The Hapeville plant has a capacity of 600 barrels a day, ranging from the 5-gallon keg to the 60-gallon barrel. It has 600,000 staves on its yards, owns the most modern machinery and facilities and is prepared to undertake a contract of any nature.

The plant will be enlarged from time to time, and there is no doubt that the recent reorganization opens a new era for an industry that means much for Atlanta and vicinity.

If You Get Thirsty Today
Ask the soda fountain boy for PEP-TO-LAC. It looks good—tastes good—is good. Contains no "dope" or heart stimulant.

VETERANS WOULD KEEP DRUM CORPS

Pass Strong Resolutions Urging That It Be Not Disbanded.

Resolutions were passed by the unanimous vote of the members of Atlanta camp, No. 159, United Confederate Veterans, at their last regular meeting, making request both upon Chief Cummings, of the fire department, and upon council and the board of fire commissioners to prevent the disbandment of the Firemen's Drum Corps, which is regarded by the veterans as "one of the city's best assets."

The resolutions, which state that such disbandment would be deeply deplored by Atlanta veterans and those all over the state, are as follows:

"Whereas, we have seen it stated in the newspapers that the Firemen's Drum Corps of Atlanta is about to be, or has been, disbanded, and

"Whereas, this organization is one of our city's best assets, and is greatly valued by not only the veterans of Atlanta (especially by camp 159), but also by the veterans of our entire state, who will consider its disbandment a calamity to Atlanta and Georgia, therefore be it

"Resolved, by Atlanta camp, 159, U. C. V., That Chief Cummings, of the Atlanta fire department, be urgently requested not to disband the 'Firemen's Drum Corps,' whose absence on Memorial day and annual reunions would be sincerely deplored by all the veterans who regard said drum corps as one of the most attractive features at all our public gatherings.

"Be it further resolved, That the city council and members of the board of fire commissioners be especially requested to encourage and help with their influence the continuance of the existence of the Firemen's Drum Corps of Atlanta."

Pretty Crystal

Tumblers, goblets, iced tea glasses, wine service and all other stemware should be of the best and daintiest kind.

There's also the consideration of fashion in such matters. The observant housewife knows this.

Let us show you our correct and very attractive stemware.

Maier & Berkele

JOHN HOLDER'S POLITICAL PLANS

Would Prefer to Succeed Himself as Speaker.

But if His Home People Want Him to Run for Congress He Will Make That Race---Has Served Twelve Years in the Legislature.

Hon. John N. Holder, speaker of the house, having completed his work of signing legislative bills in the five-day period after adjournment allowed the speaker and the president of the senate, returned to his home in Jackson county yesterday.

On being asked the direct question



HON. JOHN N. HOLDER.
Of Jackson, Speaker of the House.

by a representative of The Constitution as to his political plans for the next year, and as to whether or not he would offer for congress as reported, or ask for reelection to the house, Mr. Holder said:

"It is rather early as yet to make any formal announcement of my plans for the next year, but the pressure on my friends in the house has been such that I do not think it out of place to say that my inclination at this time is to announce again for the house from Jackson county, with the view of succeeding myself as speaker, but all will depend upon my folks at home. I will do as they say, and if they should prefer that I enter the contest for congress, I will do so.

"My service as speaker has been very agreeable, and I feel that my experience in the chair during the past session would enable me to take up the work again for another session with much more satisfaction to myself, for, in the matter of presiding, experience goes a long way. My friends and associates in the house have been very cordial in urging me to offer as a candidate for reelection, and that is my personal inclination—but the boys at home must decide."

Mr. Holder has served five terms in the house, including the present one, and also one term in the senate—twelve years. He has served during that time on the most important committees of both houses, and his splendid training for the position gave him the unopposed vote of the house for speakership at the organization of the session this summer.

It is universally conceded that if he offers for reelection he will have no opposition as speaker.

CHARTER IS ASKED BY PROHIBITIONISTS

Leaders in Cause Organize "Temperance Life Insurance Co."

Application has been filed with Secretary of State Philip Cook by some of the most prominent prohibitionists in Georgia and the south for a charter for "The Temperance Life Insurance Company of America," with a capital stock of $200,000, whose purpose is to accept risks only upon the lives of strict "teetotalers."

The organization is a unique one, and is intended as the nucleus of an insurance movement designed to extend throughout the United States.

Among the charter members of the company are W. A. Covington, of Moultrie, who was one of the authors of Georgia's present prohibition laws; J. H. Andrews, Sr., Marion McH. Hull and James K. Hines, of Atlanta, and J. F. Fender, of Lowndes county. Leading prohibitionists in other states, it is said, will back the company, and their names will appear as soon as organization is formally perfected.

The one iron-clad rule of the new company will be to accept no risk who touches intoxicants in any shape, form or quantity, at any time or under any circumstances.

It is proposed to open offices in Atlanta and begin at once the work of securing subscriptions to the company's capital stock, each share to be of the usual par value of $100. This work will be in charge of J. W. Barwick, who states that the company is to be patterned after the old-line life insurance companies of the north and east.

The promoters of the company assert that, by following this rule, they will be able greatly to reduce the cost of insurance to policyholders. They base this upon the assertion that the longevity of total abstainers is something like 25 per cent more than among those who use alcohol even in moderate quantities. They also say the movement will put the temperance cause upon a substantial business basis.

Paper Buys Engine.

Calhoun, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—The Calhoun News has placed an order for an engine and other equipment for their plant on Railroad street. The News has jumped into public favor, and is meeting with success.

IN AUTO HE WILL LOOK AFTER FULTON'S ROADS

After more than thirty years of road building in Fulton county, Captain Thomas J. Donaldson, the superintendent of public works for the county, has been presented with an automobile by the commissioners of roads and revenues so that he can better travel over the territory which he superintends.

It was found almost impossible for Superintendent Donaldson to look after the work without some mode of rapid transit. The horse and buggy were too slow, and much valuable time was lost as he went from one end of the county to the other. The commissioners believed that a fast automobile would not only greatly facilitate Mr. Donaldson's work, but would prove of value to the county in the saving of time.

Therefore, from now on Superintendent Donaldson will be seen riding over the county roads in an up-to-date auto.

Mr. Donaldson selected a White Steamer, and he has already learned to be his own chauffeur.

Mr. Donaldson is one of the pioneer good road builders in the state. He was looking after the roads in Fulton county even before a board of county commissioners was created. In the days, more than thirty years ago, when the ordinary supervised road construction in Fulton, he was laying out the roads in the county and marking the places where he believed there should be highways for the public.

Twelve years ago, after he had been elected superintendent of public works, he began macadamizing the roads, and the splendid boulevards that traverse the county are monuments of his good work.

In his management of the county convicts he has been humane, kind and considerate, and there has been little criticism of the treatment of the convicts during the many years he has had his overseers look after them.

Superintendent Donaldson is a road expert in the very highest sense. He has made a close study of grading and paving, and one has but to drive over the roads of Fulton county to see with what signal success his work has been crowned.

That automobile should now be provided for him is a just recognition of his zealous efforts in the building of good roads in this part of Georgia.



Photo by Wesley Hirshburg.

CAPTAIN T. J. DONALDSON,
Superintendent of Public Works for Fulton County.

WARNING NOTE FOR ENGINEERS

Is Struck at Savannah by Mrs. Murdock.

Must Not Forget That They Are "Laborers"---More Than One Thousand Delegates Are Now in Attendance Upon the Convention.

Savannah, Ga., August 17.—A warning note was struck today for the benefit of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, now meeting here, by Mrs. W. A. Murdoch, of Chattanooga, Tenn., who for twenty-two years has been president of the Grand International Auxiliary to the brotherhood.

In an open-air theater meeting, Mrs. Murdoch warned the engineers they must never forget that they are "laborers;" that though the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers is regarded as the "aristocracy of labor," it has become so recognized because its members have stood together for their "rights as laborers." She told them that once they should forget their position in the laboring world they would suffer for it and lose caste.

Her address was the feature of the opening session this afternoon of the convention. Alderman H. E. Wilson, on behalf of the city, extended a welcime to the more than 1,000 visitors whom the meeting brought to Savannah, while Attorney Frank M. Oliver spoke a welcome on behalf of of the Savannah Chamber of Commerce. Response for the brotherhood was made by W. A. Hotchkiss.

Assistant Grand Chief F. A. Burgess of the order, of Cleveland, is expected in Savannah to take charge of the union meeting tomorrow morning, when the first secret session will be held. The brotherhood and auxiliary will meet separately at 11 o'clock. In the afternoon a trolley ride, with a supper at Thunderbolt, will be the program features.

SPARROW CREATES MUCH EXCITEMENT

Flew in Smokers at Ball Park and Nearly Entered a Rooter's Mouth.

Considerable excitement was created in the smokers during the game between Birmingham and Atlanta yesterday, when a stray sparrow flew in and hit Clarence Angier on the hat.

Billy Wells, the biggest rooter in the city, was sitting next to Mr. Angier and let loose a big laugh at his friend's expense, who was having trouble fighting the sparrow off.

Evidently attracted by the noise made by Mr. Wells, the bird gave its attention to him, and he was kept busy fighting it off, just closing his mouth in time to keep it out, though some of the persons who witnessed the incident said that the bird really did gain access to his mouth. However, Mr. Wells said it did not, and he should be the one to be believed.

It was a humorous incident in every sense of the word, and Messrs. Angier and Wells are now being made the brunt of several good-natured taunts.

GIRL ATTEMPTS SUICIDE.

Left Her Bed at 4 in Morning and Leaped Into Well.

Molena, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—Miss Carl Riggins, a member of a prominent family here, attempted suicide early this morning by throwing herself in a well. About 4 o'clock she was heard to rise from her bed, and before the other members of the family could reach her room groans were heard, and she was discovered in the well, which is located under the veranda.

The alarm was at once given, and the neighbors rushed to the scene. A man and two ropes were let down and the young lady was hauled up. She was unconscious and almost frozen.

Miss Riggins has been in very bad health for several months, and about six weeks ago her only brother died after several weeks' illness.

MASS MEETING FOR GOOD ROADS

At Blue Ridge Is Scene of Great Enthusiasm.

Resolutions Praising The Constitution for Its Good Work Are Passed --- Highway Between Blue Ridge and Clayton Is Promised.

Blue Ridge, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—An enthusiastic mass meeting was held here today in the auditorium of the Georgia Baptist Assembly looking to better roads in north Georgia. Colonel T. A. Brown was elected chairman and John B. Payne secretary.

Enthusiastic speeches were made by Professor J. A. Sharp and H. E. Lashley, of Young Harris; W. M. Butt, of Blue Ridge; W. G. Cooper and E. G. Willingham, of Atlanta; Hon. J. T. Davis, of Albany, and Rev. A. W. Bealer, of Thomasville.

The plan agreed upon is to build a macadamized road from Blue Ridge to Clayton, a distance of 65 miles, which, when completed, will connect the L. & N. railroad at Blue Ridge with the Southern at Clayton, thus infusing new life and blood into four mountain counties of north Georgia.

Constitution Thanked.

Resolutions were adopted expressing thanks and gratitude to The Atlanta Constitution for the great fight it is making for good roads in Georgia.

A movement will soon be on foot for the counties of Fannin, Union, Towns and Rabun to organize a chaingang system and put their quota of felony and all their misdemeanor convicts to work on this public highway. The proposition to issue bonds in each of these four counties is being strongly advocated.

A good roads mass meeting will be held at Morganton tonight, and a good roads organization will be perfected within the next thirty days in each militia district of the four counties through which this highway runs.

MAYOR IS CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT

Claimed That He Collected Fines and Failed to Turn Money Into Treasury.

Russellville, Ala., August 17.—Mayor O. P. McLane, of Vina, a new town near here, is in jail here charged with embezzlement. It is charged that he collected $35 in fines assessed by his court and that the money was not turned into the city treasury. His bond is fixed at $700, which he has not made.

Suit Cases

From $1.00 to $28.00

Rountree's
W. Z. TURNER, Mgr.
77 Whitehall St.

DIRT IS BROKEN FOR TABERNACLE

Appropriate Ceremonies Held on Luckie St. Lot.

Addresses Made by E. H. Peacock, E. N. Fickett and Dr. J. L. Campbell --- Great Work That Has Been Done by the Baptist Tabernacle.

Dirt was broken with appropriate ceremonies yesterday afternoon for the Baptist Tabernacle-Auditorium on Luckie street, on the lot east of the Baptist Infirmary.

A large crowd was present, including the board of deacons, the building committee and the women who have been foremost in the Tabernacle work.

In the absence of the pastor, Dr. L. G. Broughton, E. H. Peacock, his assistant, was master of ceremonies. Mrs. Broughton and her son were present, and occupied seats on the platform.

The statements of Mr. Peacock, E. N. Fickett, chairman of the building committee, and Dr. J. L. Campbell, of Cambridge, Mass., who made the address of the afternoon, showed what a great work the Baptist Tabernacle had done in the past ten years.

The new Tabernacle-Auditorium will have a seating capacity of 6,000, and will be well equipped for the church and Sunday school work. It became necessary to erect a larger building, because of the great increase in the membership and the number of children in the Sunday school.

Ceremonies Are Opened.

Mr. Peacock opened the ceremonies by stating that the new building would cost about $125,000, and it was planned a year ago. He said that the church had had a most remarkable history, and had done a great work under the leadership of Dr. Broughton.

"The membership today," he stated, "is 1,850, when it was only 350 ten years ago. The Sunday school has grown from 135 to 2,000.

"We have had our ups and downs," said Mr. Peacock, "but, thank God, we have won the fight so far, and we will put up this Tabernacle-Auditorium if man's work with the blessing of God can do it."

Mr. Fickett spoke next, as chairman of the building committee. He said that ten years ago the Third Baptist church, a small congregation, wanted to do something for the Lord, and it called Dr. Broughton. People tried to make Dr. Broughton decline the call, but he said that he wanted a small church so he could build it up.

"Hear what Dr. Broughton said," exclaimed Mr. Fickett. "He told them that he had been praying to God to give him a great work to do, and he did not want a finished work. He wanted something to do and he came here. You all know what he has accomplished. He built the Tabernacle in one year, and then enlarged it to twice its size. He built the Tabernacle infirmary, and it is doing a great work for humanity. Now he is behind the movement to build this auditorium, and it will be built. We are here to break the first dirt this afternoon. People said when we built the first Tabernacle that they would soon have it for a dance hall or a livery stable, but thank God they haven't got it yet. We want you all to help in this work. It will not be an easy thing to do. We must get together, and with our work and our prayers and the help of God it will soon stand to the glory of our Lord and Master."

Praise For Dr. Broughton.

Dr. Campbell, who is filling the pulpit of the Tabernacle during Dr. Broughton's absence in New York filling the pulpit of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, was the next speaker. He said that it was with conflicting emotions that he spoke on such an occasion.

"Your beloved pastor is absent," he said, "doing work in another field, and I am here to say something of the great influence that this church is exerting throughout the Christian world. You have a grand and beautiful city, the metropolis of the southland. This should be a memorable day, not only for this church, but for the whole city.

It is a day that will commemorate the trials and emotions which have been your portion. This is also a predictive day, for the building of this auditorium will affect every home in the city. It will be an inspiration to the whole Christian world. In this building great concourses of people will assemble to hear the blessed word of God. Here you will gather about you the beloved dead and here the water of baptism will be troubled and here the emblems of Christ's broken body and precious blood will be served."

Dr. Campbell said that the greatest thing God could give His people was a man and He had given a man to the Baptist Tabernacle when He gave Dr. Broughton.

"God raised up this man," he said, "for His glory and for the good of His people. There was a great work to be done and Dr. Broughton has done it. Nowhere in the world can such a work as this church has done be duplicated. Its record is unequaled. The pastor has not only shown his power in this pulpit, but he has shown it in the greatest and most foremost pulpits in this country and in Europe. Dr. Broughton has shown his ability not only in his work, but in selecting the best men to help him, and he secured a good and valuable helper in E. H. Peacock. I want to say just here that there is going to be a change in the building of churches. We build too many small churches. We want fewer and larger churches. We must combine just as the business world has combined. In conclusion I want to say that this church has stood for the pure and old-time religion of Jesus Christ. May God bless you."

After Dr. Campbell concluded the first shovel of dirt was thrown into a wagon by Mr. Peacock and he was followed by Mr. Fickett and the other members of the building committee. Some of the ladies present also threw dirt into the wagon.

With a prayer by J. W. Autrey, representing the Sunday school and a benediction, the ceremonies were concluded.

Just before the ceremonies ended Mr. Peacock arose and said:

"I want in behalf of this congregation to extend our sincere thanks to The Atlanta Constitution and its representative who is here this afternoon. The Constitution has always been exceedingly kind to our church."

Collins Wins From Prater.

In the opening match game of pool between Collins, champion of Texas, and Prater, champion of Georgia, the former won the opening round by the close score of 100 to 98. Four other matches are to be played by these two men.



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MUCH INTEREST SHOWN IN BARTOW AUTO BILL

There has been no small interest in the local bill passed by the general assembly at its recent session and signed by Governor Brown, which prescribes regulations for the running of automobiles and all classes of motor vehicles in Bartow county.

The provisions of the bill itself do not seem to be objectionable, but there has been considerable opposition manifested to the precedent set under which each county might enact its own law on the subject—a situation which would materially complicate the operation of automobiles from one county into another.

The Bartow county law goes into effect on September 1, or after three weeks' notice has been given of it by publication in the county newspapers.

It provides that no resident of the county shall be permitted to operate an automobile upon any of the roads of Bartow county without first obtaining a license and number from the clerk of the superior court, for which a fee of 50 cents must be paid, and the number in figures at least 1½ by 2½ inches must be conspicuously displayed on the rear of the machine. This provision does not apply to non-residents.

From sunset to sunrise it is required that each automobile shall carry in front at least one white light, which will show a bright illumination for a distance of 200 feet, and one rear red light effectively illuminating the number.

As to speed the law provides that no person shall operate a machine on any of the highways of Bartow county "at a rate of speed greater than is reasonable and proper, having regard to the traffic and use of such highway, or so as to endanger the ... and limb of any person or the safety of any property." It is further provided that upon approaching a bridge, curve or road crossing, the machine must be under control and running not more than 6 miles an hour.

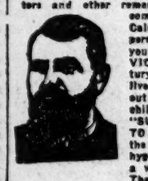
The automobilist on approaching any pedestrian or person driving an animal must give warning by gong or bell, and on signal from any person in distress must stop the machine and shut off all the noise. He must remain still until the horse or mule has passed, or, if going in the same direction, must use every precaution in passing to avoid frightening the animal.

The bill makes it unlawful for any intoxicated person to run an automobile in the county, and provides that nothing in the act shall operate against a civil action for damages for injuries sustained. Violations of the act are made misdemeanors and are punishable accordingly under the Georgia statute on that subject.

Cures Heat-Constipation FREE

At this time of the year city and county physicians publish their annual letters warning the public to beware of unripe or over-ripe fruit; germ-laden food and water, etc. But of more importance still is to warn people to keep their bowels well open these hot days, and this applies to young and old, but especially to the extreme of ages. To be constipated is to be in danger of germ-infection. Also, it thickens and overheats the blood, producing sick headache, loss of appetite, etc. Instead of trying to get bowel movement by over-eating yourself with fruit (which is more likely to produce diarrhoea than cure the constipation) use DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN once or twice a week before retiring. It will clean out the bowels, tone the stomach and put the blood in good order. This remedy is a vast improvement over salts and purgative waters, tablets, pills, etc., for these are only temporary expedients. DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN is permanent in its effect and contains ingredients that tone and strengthen the body. Its pleasant taste and freedom from griping recommends it to children and old people, who especially need a gentle laxative. Any druggist will sell you a bottle for only 50 cents or $1.00 and guarantee results.

Those who have never yet used DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN and would like to make a test of it before buying in the regular way from their druggist, can obtain a FREE SAMPLE BOTTLE either for themselves or any member of their family by sending name and address to the doctor. The sample will be sent to your home free of charge. In this way you can find out what it will do without cost. Also, if the case presents difficulties that doctors and other remedies seem unable to overcome, write a letter to Dr. Caldwell explaining how the person suffers and he will give you his best MEDICAL ADVICE, based on half a century of experience in stomach, liver and bowel diseases, without charge. Women who have children should send for "SUMMER SUGGESTIONS TO MOTHERS," containing the doctor's advice on diet, hygiene, etc., in hot weather—a very important subject. The address is



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SOCIETY

Luncheon Party.

Mrs. L. C. Flanders entertained at luncheon yesterday in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Smith, their guests including Mr. and Mrs. George Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Larendon, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Flanders, Miss Alice Flanders, Miss Margaret Flanders, Mr. W. R. Phillips and Mr. Joel Davis.

The table was beautifully decorated in pink roses and all the detail decorations were in that color.

To Mrs. Wylie Pope.

Mrs. Wylie Pope, who, with her charming daughters, is spending the summer in the city, is receiving many attentions from her countless friends. She was the guest of honor at a card party given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Richard Simms, when the guests included a group of Mrs. Pope's best friends, among them: Mrs. W. E. Foster, Mrs. Carlton Miller, Mrs. Prioleau Ellis, Mrs. E. P. Ansley, Mrs. George M. Brown, Mrs. T. J. Ripley, Mrs. Ed Durant, Mrs. J. M. Moore, Mrs. Wallace Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Arthur Montgomery, Mrs. Grant Wilkins, Mrs. Charles Nunn, Mrs. E. D. Kennedy, Mrs. W. S. Elkin, Jr., and Mrs. Frank Pearson.

The decorations throughout the house were artistically arranged; there was golden glow in the hall with palms and other potted plants. In the drawing room there was a quantity of white roses used.

After the game tea and dainty refreshments were served. The prizes included an Irish crochet lace chatelaine, a hand-painted plate and a table cover.

Mrs. Simms was beautifully gowned in white batiste claire and lace. Mrs. Pope was charming in white embroidered mull and a white plumed hat.

Evangelist to Speak.

Rev. W. A. Ward, the American evangelist, writes the members of the Christian Temperance Union of Atlanta to meet with him in the Sunday school rooms of Trinity church Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. He will discuss the work of the organization, and the public is invited.

Bridge Party.

Miss Katherine Hinchcliffe, of Paterson, N. J., was the guest of honor at the bridge party given yesterday afternoon by Miss Margaret Harrison. The prizes included a white silk parasol, a hat pin and a belt buckle. A dainty luncheon was served at the end of the game. Miss Harrison wore pale blue mull trimmed in lace, and the attractive visitor wore yellow silk mull.

Miss McCandless Entertains.

Miss Edna McCandless entertains at a small bridge party this morning, her guests to include Miss Elizabeth Adair, Miss Caroline DuBose, Mrs. Phinizy Calhoun, Miss Lottie Wylie, Mrs. Edwin Johnson, Mrs. Wyckliffe Goldsmith, Misses Bessie and Martha Woodward and Mrs. Harry Chamberlin.

A Scholarship in Voice.

Our city federation takes great pride in announcing a scholarship in voice given by Mrs. Kurt Mueller, teacher in the Atlanta Conservatory of Music.

Mrs. Mueller is not only a delightful singer and a thorough musician, but she is in that class of the south's most successful and painstaking teachers.

Applications for this most valuable scholarship must be sent in writing to Mrs. Sam D. Jones, President City Federation of Clubs, 900 Peachtree.

Social Items.

The ladies of Walker street church will give an ice cream festival Thursday evening, August 19, for the benefit of Wesleyan Memorial hospital.

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Mrs. Kittie Wyche Fowler, of Warrenton, arrived in the city yesterday, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Smith.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Anderson left Saturday for Asheville, Toxaway and other points in the Sapphile Country, where they will remain through August.

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Mr. John Gatins, Misses Nell and Celia Gatins are at Atlantic City.

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Miss Hanna Murphy left Monday night for New York.

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Mr. and Mrs. John D. Little, Mr. Carrol Payne, Mr. S. S. Dunlap of Macon, Mr. W. E. Chapin and Mr. S. Y. Tupper sailed today on the Lusitania for Europe. They will be gone until early October.

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Miss Gladys Snook returns to New York in September.

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Dr. and Mrs. Phinizy Calhoun will chaperone a party of young people to Warm Springs for the week-end.

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Mrs. Dull, Miss Elizabeth Dull and Master James Dull leave the 18th of September for Brunswick.

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Mr. F. B. Price has returned to Philadelphia.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Philipps and son have returned to Atlanta, after a four weeks' visit to Boston, New York, Atlantic City and Washington.

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Mrs. D. P. Philips, of Cascade avenue, West End, is making a visit through the Thousand Islands and Canada. She will be away four weeks.

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Captain Fred Price has returned to Dahlonega.

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Mrs. John C. West and children are in Savannah, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Walter S. Wilson.

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Mrs. S. E. Gabbett leaves the 1st of September for a visit to Alabama.

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Dr. W. V. Robertson, formerly of Atlanta, now of Athens, is spending a few days in the city.

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Captain and Mrs. A. T. Abbott are at home to their friends at 74 Forrest avenue.

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Mrs. Henry Hunter Smith, who has been spending the spring and summer in Europe, has returned home, and is spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. W. T. Smith, of Inman Park. Mrs. Smith spent July motoring in the chateau districts of France.

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Mrs. Howard Wilcox has returned from a visit to Wrightsville Beach.

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Mrs. Gertrude Alexander has returned to Athens after a visit to Mrs. W. T. Smith in Inman Park.

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Miss Madge Patterson, of Macon, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gewinner, of 325 Ponce de Leon circle.

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Miss Gladys Catchings is the guest of Miss Rosabel Chapman.

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Atlantans at Tate Spring include: Dr. and Mrs. Connally, Miss Frances Connally, Mrs. John Oliver, Miss Eloise Oliver, Mr. John Oliver, Mr. Brooks Morgan, Mr. Herbert Sage, Mr. Frampton Ellis, Judge Ellis, Miss Jennie Mobley, Mrs. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, Mr. Gus Ryan and Mr. Perkerson.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Morris are at Tate Spring.

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Mrs. Homer Dawson has returned home.

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Mrs. John Murphy and children leave the latter part of the week for Atlantic City.

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Mrs. Morrison Rogers and Miss Loraine Rogers are at Tate Spring.

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Mr. Robert E. O'Donnelly returns the latter part of the week from New York.

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Mrs. W. H. Kiser and children leave the latter part of the week for Atlantic City.

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Mr. John Morris has returned from New York.

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Mrs. Ed L. Wight; her grandson, Ed Leigh Wight III, and her daughter, Mrs. A. R. Harrell, with her two little girls, Rebecca and Mollie Wight, are at home again, after a delightful stay of two months at Asheville and Waynesville, N. C.

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Miss Belle Parker is spending two weeks at Tallulah Lodge.

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Misses Emily and Courtney Harrison, Miss Claire Ridley and Miss Lillian Akin returned yesterday from a year's travel abroad.

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Miss Sarah Rawson entertains at tea Friday in honor of her guest, Miss Brock, of Lafayette, Ala. Miss Elizabeth Rawson is traveling east with Judge and Mrs. T. P. Westmoreland.

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Mrs. Cornelia Atkinson is quite ill at her residence on Jackson street. She is the mother of Messrs. Ulric and Charles Atkinson and of Mrs. Fannie Atkinson Clarke.

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Mrs. John N. Goddard has returned from Mount Airy.

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Mr. William Whitney Hubner, of Marietta, Ohio, is the guest of his parents, Major and Mrs. Charles W. Hubner, at their home in East End. Atlanta is Mr. Hubner's boyhood home. Mr. Hubner has married since he left Atlanta, and is now living in Marietta, Ohio.

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Mrs. Harry Harris, with her young son, Weldon, are spending the month of August at Tallulah Falls.

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Miss Mamie Foote leaves Wednesday afternoon for Macon, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Alex Akerman for two weeks.

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Miss Ruth Knox has returned to her home in East End after a most delightful trip through north Georgia. She was away four weeks.

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Mrs. Laurence Scott has returned to her summer home in East End after spending the past two weeks in Calhoun.

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Mrs. Paul Haynes, of Calhoun, is the guest of Mrs. Authey Pearson at her home in East End. She will also spend a week with Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Underwood before returning home. She was accompanied by her little daughter, Miss Cleo Harris.

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Mrs. J. L. Jones is ill. Her small daughter, Ruth, is also quite sick.

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Mrs. Hodge Malone is the guest of Mrs. David Morgan at her summer home at East Lake. Mrs. Malone is being elegantly entertained by her many Atlanta friends.

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Mr. Bob Walthour is on his way home and expects to be with his family at their home in East End in about ten days.

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Mr. Paul Smith leaves today for Bartow county for a week's camping and fishing on the Etowah river.

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Miss Kathrine Richardson will return home next Wednesday after a two weeks' camp at Borden Wheeler. She is spending this summer the guest of her aunt, Mrs. B. R. Mountcastle, at her home in East End.

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Miss Nonie Sue Smith will return home today, after having spent the last three weeks in Stilesboro, the guest of relatives and friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Kennedy announce the birth of a son last Sunday. He will be called James, for his father and grandfather.

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Misses Ellie Gheesling and Lula Gibbs have returned from ten days spent at the "Glennwood Cottage," Tallulah Falls.

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Mrs. Robert Emory Park has gone to Chicago, where she will join Mrs. Isaac Boyd. She has recovered from the recent injury to her shoulder.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Palmer announce the birth of a son.

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Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Calhoun and Miss Harriet Calhoun return the end of the week from Newnan.

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Miss Sadie Morris is spending August with the Misses Black at the Peters farm, Calhoun, Ga.

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Mrs. James Anderson and Miss Anderson have returned from Warm Springs.

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Miss Louise Sutherland, of Dalton, Ga., is the guest of Mrs. Iha Fort.

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Mrs. Frank Tucker Mason has returned to Mont Rest, Stone Mountain, where she is sepnding the summer.

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Mrs. Albert Thornton and Miss Thornton leave soon for the Homestead, Hot Springs, Va., where they will be joined by Mr. Albert Thornton, who is now at Toxaway. Miss Thornton is rapidly regaining her strength.

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Mrs. Edward H. Barnes returned last week from Warm Springs, where she spent five weeks.

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Mr. J. I. Lowry, and Master James Lowry have returned from Dalton, Ga.

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Mrs. John Corrigan is visiting in Nacoochee Valley.

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Mrs. J. Frank Meador entertained her bridge club yesterday morning.

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Mrs. John Oliver and Miss Eloise Oliver have returned from Europe.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clovis H. McKenzie and Miss Obie McKenzie, of Montezuma, are in the city.

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Miss Ruth Claridy has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Jason Bush, in Roswell, Ga.

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Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jossey and daughter have returned from a visit to Franklin, N. C.

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Mr. and Mrs. Milton A. Smith have returned home, after several months' tour of the west, including British Columbia, Alaska, Yellowstone Park, and the Alaska-Yukon exposition.

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Mr. J. Ormond Smith sailed yesterday for New York and Newport on the City of Savannah.

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Mrs. W. H. Strickland will return from a visit to Lawrenceville today.

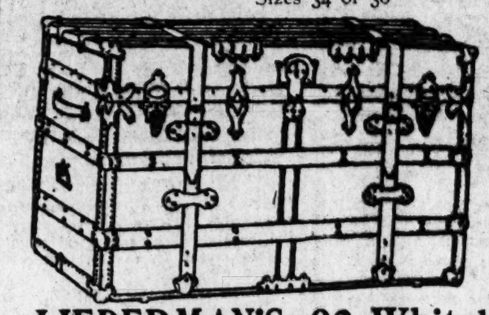
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HEARD IN IDLE MOMENTS

By Isma Dooly.

A young woman, a member of one of Georgia's first families, who is prominently identified with one of the best known institutions for the education of young women in the state, makes complaint that the most difficult matter that has to be contended with in the discipline and system of that particular school is the lack of coopeation of the mothers.

"I say mothers, though probably both parents are to blame, because the mother is the more natural protector of the girl's interest," she said.

So much is being said about education these days; the necessity for it in the career of the women of the day, whatever her calling may be, as a leader of society or a bread-winner, and yet it seems to me that less and less time is given for this all-important training," she continued.

The summer vacations are becoming longer in order to meet the demands of the young women who are so eager to leave school for the intemperate social life now prevailing among even the youngest members of society.

Young women enter school in the early fall, jaded and tired, and have to be coaxed into the normal routine of the institution. Just as their bodies and minds are becoming disciplined, letters come to them planning the Thanksgiving festivities, which now begin a week before and continue a week after the fete day itself, this making an intermediary break, the effects of which are only being modified when the event of the Christmas holidays is anticipated.

This period now covers frequently almost a month's time, as many young women do not return to their classes until the middle of January, if their social engagements are sufficiently interesting.

Then they begin to count the days until Easter tide, when there becomes the excitement, not only of the usual gayeties, but that of the spring trousseau.

From then on there is little time left for quiet, steady study; the summer vacation is so near at hand, and if the time actually devoted to study and normal life were measured by that given to pleasurable recreation, with the before and after detractions, it would be found that the latter covered the greater number of weeks."

"Do your rules not require that young women should return to school at a certain date after their vacations, or forfeit their places in their classes, or the honor records?" was here asked.

"Yes, that is the rule; but the forfeit of honor places in a class now makes little difference," replied the young teacher.

"It is quite a common announcement with mothers who place their daughters in school, that they do not care about the high marks and honors—just wish them to study and 'be taught the things every girl ought to know;' and mothers have been known to add: 'My daughter will never have to work for her living! I wish her to be accomplished!'

"This viewpoint, so commonly held, would be humorous, if it were not one of the direct reasons for many of the present so-called evils of modern society, which are largely due to untrained, undisciplined women.

When a young woman is placed in school with no incentive to work to establish a record for scholarship, or to be systematically fitted for the coming school of life, she can not be blamed for anticipating her freedom from an institution standing for the very influences she fights against.

"In other words, many mothers, while placing their children in boarding schools, nominally for education, are really using the institution as a kind of waiting room until the convenal age of eighteen marks the elegibility of their daughters to the debutante set.

"Yet with all this limitation, which is put in the institution, in the matter of discipline and training by misguided patrons, it is the period of all others, which has been anticipated as the one in which a girl is to be deprived of all the 'rough edges' of character, outlook, bearing and manner, to say nothing of pitiful ignorance of the fundamental branches of what is generally known as a common school education.

"She has been excused for her lack of knowledge, her hoydenish ways, her lack of consideration for others, her ignorance of the little social amenities, with the hopeful suggestion: 'Just wait till she goes off to schoo and she will be taught better.

"She might be," concluded the young teacher, "if the mother and the teacher could come to an understanding."

COCHRAN, GA.

Mrs. J. A. Currell and family of Albany are visiting Mrs. Currell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. C. Murray.

Mr. J. W. Murray, wife and daughter, of Statesville, Ga., spent a short while with his uncle, S. T. C. Murray.

Misses Ethel and Lillie Francis, of Pinebrew, are visiting their uncle, S. T. C. Murray. A house party was given in their honor. The guests were Miss Tonnie Currell of Dublin, Mr. B. F. Buckner of Savannah, Waymon Hudson of Hawkinsville, Joe Chapman, Joe Reaves, Allie Taylor, Jule Porter, James Dunham, Lewis Pineville, Jack Thompson, Allie Kirby Waggins, Tom Bailey, Frank McVay, James Taylor, T. H. Reaves, John Harris, Ramsey Thompson, Will Clark, Grady Wynn. All seemed to enjoy themselves.

THEATERS

At the Casino.

The 10-cent idea has gone into effect at the Casino, and already it has caught hold to the fancy of the theatergoers. The 10-cent idea consists of continuous vaudeville, 10 cents admitting one to a performance any time in the evening and entitling him to stay as long as he pleases.

At Ponce de Leon.

While, from a calendar standpoint, this is close onto the end of the summer park season, from a standpoint of attendance and of weather; it is in reality at Ponce de Leon, the very midst and heat of the season. Rains, chills and the like butted in most inopportunely all through the beginning of the season, and the present siege of real summery summer offers amusement-lovers their first real opportunity to show their appreciation of Atlanta's great park.

LOUISVILLE SWEPT BY HORD OF INSECTS

Millions of Diminutive Grasshoppers Made Life Unbearable During the Night.

Louisville, Ky., August 17.—A plague of small green bugs, following a local thunderstorm, almost drove Louisville folk frantic last night. Wherever a light was shown swarms of the little insects appeared. Persons walking under an arc light, or passing a brilliantly illuminated show window, experienced much the same sensation as that which results from being hit with a double handful of birdshot.

Peek-a-boo waists and feminine attire of the open-front description were speedily driven from the streets, the luckless wearers squirming and clawing desperately at the center of the disturbance. Night workers and reporters on morning papers scarcely dared swear lest their mouths, as well as their shirts, should be filled with the pests.

The little green bugs, which were exact duplicates in miniature of grasshoppers, were as restless and uncertain of movement as grasshoppers and held unchecked sway over the city until daylight brought relief.

FLOCK OF DUCKS USED TO FORAGE STREETS

The "Quackers" Are Keeping the Ohio Town Quite Clean.

Bellefontaine, Ohio, August 17.—The white wings of the town of Lakeview, near here, are literally white wings now. They are ducks.

Recently the finances of the village fell to such a low ebb that it was impossible to longer employ a street sweeper, so his services were dispensed with. Still there remained a few dollars in the treasury. One of the aldermen proposed that the money be invested in a flock of ducks which would forage in the streets and eat the rubbish.

Lean ducks were bought and turned loose in the streets.

They start in to eat the waste from the streets at one end of town early in the morning and eat to the other end when they are turned backward or shifted to another street.

INCOME TAX APPROVED BY GOVERNOR COMER

Signs Resolution Which Passed Both Houses Practically Unanimously.

Montgomery, Ala., August 17.—Governor B. B. Comer today signed the income tax resolution, thus placing Alabama in line for the amendment to the national constitution. The resolution had passed both houses with only two votes against it, these being in the house.

COOPER TO FACE TRIAL.

Sensational Developments Expected at Covington.

Covington, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—Deputy Sheriff J. C. Nixon returned last night from Henderson, Texas, where he went to bring back to this county Vance Cooper, for trial at the next term of the superior court. The grand jury at its last session returned seven true bills against Cooper for gambling, running a gambling house and selling whisky. Cooper left, and up to a few days ago his whereabouts was unknown to the authorities of this county.

It was in connection with him that the last grand jury returned sixty-four true bills for some of the county's most prominent citizens for gambling at Cooper's home in the southeastern part of the county.

May Increase Taxes in Bibb.

Macon, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—The county commissioners of Bibb are almost heartbroken over the prospects of having to increase the tax rate here the coming year about one mill in order to meet the demands for county courthouse improvements. The increase in tax income this year will be more than $15,000, but the commissioners say they will need more funds and want an increase in the rate or the privilege of issuing bonds.

SITE NEAR ALTO FOR SANITARIUM

Trustees Ratify Action of the Special Committee.

The trustees of the state sanitarium for the treatment of tuberculosis, at a meeting held in the senate chamber at the capitol yesterday, ratified the action of the special committee in purchasing 250 acres of land in Habersham county, near Alto, for the erection of the sanitarium.

It was stated by Chairman W. G. Raoul, of the executive committee, that as soon as the titles to the land have been perfected and the transaction closed, surveyors and landscape gardeners will be put to work to get the property in shape.

The price paid for the property was $2,500. The state has appropriated $25,000 for the establishment of this institution, of which $13,000 is available this year.

The trustees passed a resolution requesting the state school commissioner to disseminate among the teachers of the state information relating to the prevention of tuberculosis. It was also the sense of the trustees that no person suffering from tuberculosis should be employed as a teacher in the public schools.

The members of the board present at this meeting were Dr. C. H. Richardson, Macon county; Dr. J. R. Stapleton, Sumter; Dr. H. R. Slack, Troup; Dr. W. R. Turner, Coweta; Captain W. G. Raoul, Atlanta; Dr. T. R. Whitley, Douglas; T. D. Tinsley, Bibb; Dr. M. F. Carson, Spalding; Dr. C. F. McLain, Gordon; J. D. Anderson, Cobb; Dr. W. I. Hailey, Hart; J. D. Harvey, Jasper; M. S. Cornett, Gwinnett; Dr. William E. Recknagel, Glynn.

$10,000 SHORTAGE CHARGED TO CASHIER

When Stricken With Paralysis, Stevenson Wrote Out Confession.

Little Rock, Ark., August 17.—"Short," scribbled R. E. Stevenson, cashier of the Rose City bank, who was stricken with paralysis last Thursday. The paper was picked up by Stevenson's wife, who handed it to the bank officials, who started an investigation.

Today it was announced that Stevenson's shortage will amount to $10,000. Stevenson has not yet regained speech and cannot explain his shortage. He has been cashier of the Rose City bank, which was located near the union depot, and patronized largely by Iron Mountain shop employees, since it was organized in 1908.



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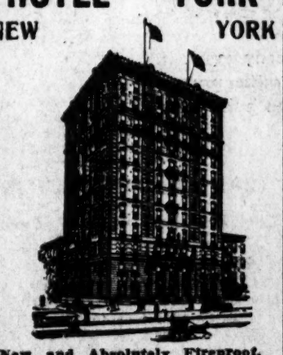
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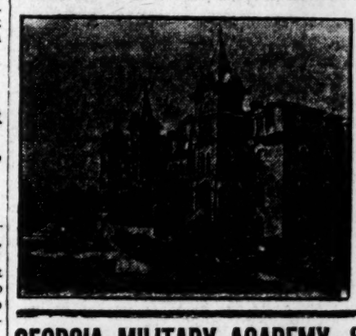
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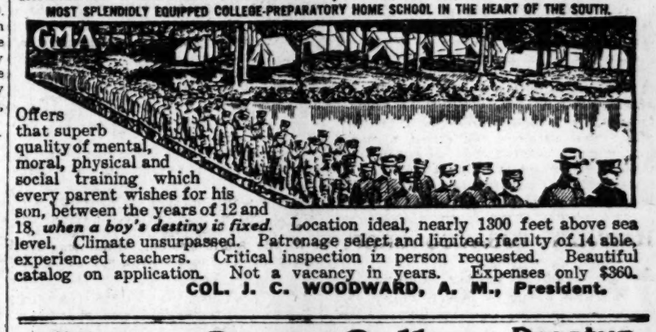
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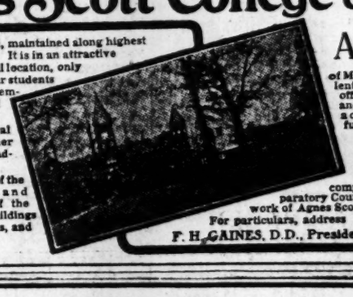
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GLENN H. CURTISS REPAIRS AEROPLANE

The Crippled Aviator Has His Machine in Readiness for Flight.

Rheims, August 17.—Leaning heavily on a cane, and suffering, though uncomplainingly, from a bruise on his right leg, sustained when his aeroplane fell during a practice spin yesterday, Glenn H. Curtiss, the American aviator, today superintended the repairs to his damaged machine, and tonight had the satisfaction of seeing it entirely restored and ready for flight. Mr. Curtiss is eager to start immediately with the trials, but his friends are endeavoring to dissuade him from taking any chances, declaring that he is likely to augment his injury, which would entirely disable him and prevent his participation in the races, which begin next Sunday.

HARVEST TOBACCO CROP.

Large Crop Will Be Raised in Wayne County Next Year.

Jesup, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—The first crop of tobacco ever grown on a marketable scale is now being gathered in Wayne county. D. B. Brand, a colored farmer from South Carolina, put in a crop of tobacco on a farm belonging to Ben Millikin, and it has made an excellent yield. A party of farmers will join together and hire an expert and run about ten barns in curing tobacco next season.

Corner Stone Laid.

Bowman, Ga., August 17.—(Special.) Masons laid the corner stone of the public school building here today. Grand Master Jeffries, if Atlanta, officiated, assisted by John R. Dickey, of Atlanta, an dhome members.

LOEB IS AGGRIEVED AT A LABOR EDITOR

Collector of the Port of New York May Go to Court.

Washington, August 17.—Court proceedings by William Loeb, Jr., collector of the port of New York, are said to hang over the head of a local labor leader. Mr. Loeb has written to Samuel De Nedrey, editor of a local trades union paper, protesting vigorously against a recent article in the paper stating that Mr. Loeb contemplates appointing Charles A. Stillings, former public printer, to a position of trust in the New York customs service, and which concluded with the question: "Who was at the head of the audit system?"

It is understood Mr. Loeb took offense at what he believes to be a veiled insinuation that he was interested in the audit system which was inaugurated at the government printing office by Mr. Stillings, and which was responsible primarily for the resignation of Mr. Stillings as public printer.

Mr. Loeb intimates that it is his intention to carry the matter into the courts.

The Calhoun Trial.

San Francisco, August 17.—By agreement of counsel, the trial of Patrick Calhoun was continued by Judge Lawlor today until Monday, on account of the illness of Stanley Moore, of counsel for defense.

Columbus Plant Sold.

Columbus, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—The plant of the Muscogee Brick and Terra Cotta Company was sold at public outcry by the trustees today was bought by a representative of the bondholders for $45,000.

"LID" NAILED DOWN BY ST. LOUIS POLICE

The So-Called "Blue Laws" Are Being Rigidly Enforced.

St. Louis, Mo., August 17.—Missouri's blue laws enacted by the recent legislature took effect yesterday, and were enforced by the police in St. Louis. The gambling squad began a crusade against all games of chance in cigar stores. Two cigar-stand men were arrested on charges of playing a game called "baseball," in which the customer receives 25 cents worth of cigars for 10 cents, if he makes more runs than the proprietor. Customers were arrested as witnesses.

A saloon keeper was cited by the excise commissioner to show cause why his license should not be revoked for allowing pinochle to be played in his saloon. Police Chief Creecy refused to give the official definition of being drunk.

"My policemen," he said, "must use their own judgment in enforcing the new statute making it a misdemeanor to sell intoxicants to a drunken man."

AGED RECLUSE ASSAULTED

Woman's Mutilated Body Is Found Near Texas Town.

Terrell, Texas, August 17.—With the head crushed and the brains lying on the ground, the body of Mrs. George Brady, aged 52 years, was found today in a lot near Towntop. A butcher knife, unstained, was lying beside the body. Mrs. Brady was a recluse, and it is presumed, hearing a noise on the premises last night, set out to investigate, and was assaulted and killed.

ROGERS MERRITT FOUND GUILTY

Will Be Sentenced to the Gallows.

Negro Put on Trial on Charge of Making a Criminal Assault on Miss Maggie McDermott on the Evening of 23d of June.

Rogers Merritt has been found guilty of criminally assaulting Miss Maggie McDermott, of 364 Simpson street, and will expiate the crime on the gallows.

After being out for more than three hours, the jury, sitting in judgment upon the case, yesterday afternoon returned a verdict of guilty without recommending the mercy of the court. Sentence was not passed at the time, as Judge Roan was in the act of adjourning court, but under the law, only capital punishment is provided when the jury fails to recommend mercy.

Merritt, it will be remembered, is charged with having criminally assaulted 16-year-old Maggie McDermott on the evening of June 23, only a short distance from her home at 364 Simpson street. He was captured a short time later and carried before the girl, who partially identified him. Later she declared positively and also swore on the stand that there was no doubt in her mind about the negro's identity.

The trial consumed a good portion of the day. Dr. R. N. Weaver, the girl herself, and C. L. Barrett, who was with the girl's brother when Merritt was captured, testified for the state.

The defense introduced a number of negroes in an attempt to prove an alibi, but Solicitor Hill succeeded in having these to make contradictory statements. Merritt had little to say in his own behalf. He denied his guilt, however.

The case was given to the jury shortly after 2 o'clock, and at 5:10 a verdict was returned.

GIRL DIVED INTO LAKE AND HIT MAN'S BODY

Her Cries Brought Help and Life of the Man Was Saved.

Chicago, August 17.—When Miss Ruth Rogers leaped feet foremost from a raft in the lake at Manhattan Beach yesterday she touched with one of her feet the body of a man lying on the bed of the lake.

Her cries for help when she arose to the surface brought former Congressman Charles S. Wharton, Dr. W. H. Falke and Dr. H. B. Clapp, who were swimming near.

Mr. Wharton dove and satisfied himself that what Miss Rodgers had touched was really the body of a man, and after repeated efforts the rescuers were successful in bringing it to the surface. They were astonished to find that breath still remained, although the victim was unconscious. When he had been resuscitated, after an hour's work, he said he was John Tuzhocki. He is 28 years old.

He was unable to say how he came into his plight, but it is believed by those who were at he beach that in diving from a post he struck a great rope stretched as a life line and was rendered unconscious.

Big Farm Sold.

Columbus, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—A big deal in Russel county, Alabama, farm property took place today, when, for $25,000, E. P. Owsley and L. F. Humber, of Columbus, purchased the Fitzgerald place. This farm is composed of 940 acres of Chattahoochee valley land, and is six miles from Columbus.

TEXAS MAY MOVE TO SAVE NEW INCOME TAX BILL



Robert Lee Henry, of Waco, Texas, who is serving his seventh term in congress, has written to Governor Campbell urging him to summon the legislature to meet immediately to ratify the income tax amendment to the federal constitution. Unless an extra session is called, the legislature will not meet until January, 1911. Congressman Henry says the amendment is in peril, but that it may be saved by the prompt action of Texas and other states. It is believed that the governor will act promptly upon the suggestion.

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SEVEN SOULS SAVED FROM WRECKED SHIP

Heroic Rescue by Long Island Life-Savers.

Sailors Climbed on Bowsprit, Where They Clung, Wave-Buffetted, Until Rescued--Hotel Lights Caused Loss of Ship

New York, August 17.—Long Island life-savers, after a six-hours' battle, added another victory against the sea to their long list of remarkable rescues today, when they brought safely to land the captain and crew—seven souls in all—from the three-masted schooner Arlington, of Boston, which went ashore early this morning in the driving rain and fog off Long Beach, on the south shore of Long Island.

The eighth member of the crew, Madden Pierson, a Swede, put off from the schooner on a raft, with the hope of reaching shore with a line, and was swept out to sea and lost sight of. It is believed that he perished.

The rescue from the schooner was witnessed by cheering guests of the Nassau hotel, at Long Beach, and by hundreds of cottagers. The hotel was indirectly responsible for the vessel's plight, for Captain Ira Small, after having lost his bearings, mistook the glimmering lights in the structure for those of a liner in midocean, and thus misled, ran aground. The schooner, heavily laden with anthracite, bound from this port for Mayport, Fla., struck a sand bar. Pounded by a heavy sea, while a terrific easterly gale was blowing, she began to yield immediately.

The captain and crew climbed out on the bowsprit, where they remained until rescued.

STORM AT CHARLESTON DID LITTLE DAMAGE

Telegraph and Telephone Companies Greatest Sufferers.

Charleston, S. C., August 17.—While it will probably take several days to repair all the damage done by yesterday's wind and rain storm to the telegraph and telephone lines leading into the city, the Western Union was able, within a few hours after the storm, which occurred about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, to handle practically all business offered it from a temporary office which it established outside the city limits, just beyond the storm zone, and tonight it has succeeded in laying a long line of cable, to resume business in its regular office in the city. The long-distance telephone lines are working as usual. The storm did no damage except to blow down telegraph and telephone poles and block the suburban electric railway line.

Snow at Johannesberg.

Johannesberg, August 17.—The heaviest snow fall in many years occurred here today. Six inches had fallen at noon and the storm was still in progress. The telegraph and telephone services are badly disorganized and business has almost suspended. The members of the stock exchange ceased operations today long enough to engage in a snowball battle.

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MOUNTAIN AMAZON SLAYS MAN WITH A HOE

Tragedy Takes Place in Remote Part of North Carolina County.

Charlotte, N. C., August 17.—News reached here tonight from Banner Elk, a remote section of Wautauga county, of the killing of Alonzo Hardin by Mary Bennett, a mountain amazon. The woman felled Hardin with a hoe and then beat out his brains, the victim living until 9 o'clock this morning.

There had been bad blood between the two for some time, owing to Hardin's testimony in a tragedy in which Mrs. Bennett's son was the victim. Hardin passed the woman's house yesterday in a drunken condition and hurled some epithets at her and the woman attacked him.

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BARONS GET MARCAN; HE WON'T COME SOUTH

Birmingham, Ala., August 17.—(Special.)—Secretary Farrell has awarded Second Baseman Marcan to Birmingham. The player, after having been accepted by Birmingham on terms offered by Binghamton, was turned over to Buffalo in the Eastern League. He is now with Troy, N. Y., state and declares he will not come south.

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FAMOUS GAMBLING HELL BECOMES RESTAURANT

Hereafter People Will Eat in Gottfried Walbaum's Place.

New York, August 17.—The famous gambling house of Gottfried Walbaum in West Thirty-third street, the most gorgeously furnished palace of chance in this country, is about to be thrown open to the public as a restaurant. Until District Attorney Jerome had a memorable interview with Walbaum the house was the resort of many millionaires, and the games played there were for enormous stakes.

The place was decorated and furnished after designs supplied by Stanford White, who was killed by Harry Thaw, at a cost of more than $350,000. A magnificent, carved bronze door 7 inches thick was brought from Italy at a cost of $28,000 to serve as the main portal. The carving on the staircase cost $11,000. Canvas ceilings by famous artists cost upward of $50,000. Hand-carved tables and chairs throughout the house cost from $500 to $1,000 each. Every room is hung with rich portieres and tapestries. The man who has leased the place will retain the building just as it is, and will operate is as another of New York's many all-night restaurants.

CYCLONE VICTIM DIES.

Mrs. Clara P. Davis, of Chipley, Dies After Long Illness.

Chipley, Ga., August 17.—(Special.) Mrs. Clara P. Davis died here today.

Mrs. Davis had been in bad health from nervousness, caused from the severe shock of the cyclone last April, 1908.

Mrs. Davis was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hill Whitehead, and married Mr. Madison Davis, who died a few years before her death. She leaves a father, mother, several sisters and brothers, three daughters and two sons.

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LATEST REPORTS FROM ALL THE MARKETS

LAST PRICES WITHIN FEW POINTS OF TOP

Cotton Market Closed Strong at Net Gain of 13 to 15 Points.

New York, August 17.—There was a further advance in the cotton market yesterday, chiefly as a result, it seemed, of bullish crop news from the southwest and the market closed strong at a net gain of 13@18 points.

The opening was firm, at an advance of 7@13 points and during the morning active months sold 15 to 16 points net higher, in response to firm cables, reports of very high temperatures in the southwest, expectations of a bullish national ginners' report, scattered covering, a renewal of foreign demand and moderate support from some of the local bulls. During the middle of the day prices eased off under realizing in a comparatively narrow market, but there was no change in the general character of the news and late in the afternoon prices reached new high levels for the day, on active buying by one of the leading spot houses. It was estimated that this interest took fully 25,000 bales out of the market during the last half hour. Various theories were advanced as to the cause of the buying, some claiming that it was on private wires reporting disastrous temperatures in the western belt; others that it was covering of the short end of straddles here, the long end of which would be sold out in Liverpool tomorrow morning. Last prices were within a point or so of the top. Wires from the southwest reported that temperatures during the past twenty-four hours had reached the highest maximums for the past fifteen years and some very bullish advices were received regarding the effect of the hot weather on the crops. Southern spot markets officially reported early were unchanged to ¼c higher.

Receipts at the ports today 2,398 bales, against 2,705 bales last week and 11,745 bales last year. For the week, 15,000 bales, against 11,058 last week and 43,907 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 452 bales, against 80 last year and at Houston 530 bales, against 14 bales last year.

Spot quiet, 5 points higher; middling uplands 12.80; middling gulf 13.05. Sales 398 bales.

New Orleans Cotton.

New Orleans, August 17.—Cotton spots were firm; low ordinary 8 5-8c, nominal; ordinary 9 7-16c, nominal; good ordinary 10 7-8c; low middling 11 3-4c; middling 12 5-16c; good middling 12 11-16c; middling fair 13 1-16c; fair 13 13-16c, nominal. Receipts 452; stock 55,268. Sales on the spot 100 bales; to arrive, none.

Futures opened steady at an advance of 12 to 13 points, on very favorable cables and the worst weather reports of the season in the western sections of the belt. Many Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas points reported maximum temperatures for yesterday of from 100 to 110 degrees. Accompanying these were complaints of grave crop deterioration. The market held steady on this news nearly all day, but around noon some weakness was displayed, on the rumor that a prominent New York bull had sold the bear leader 50,000 bales of October. During the last half hour of trading the market strengthened, on fear of more bad weather reports tomorrow morning. Prices rose to the highest of the day, 22 points over yesterday's last quotations. The closing was very steady at a net advance of 20 to 21 points.

Dry Goods.

New York, August 17.—Trade was quiet in wash goods in the jobbing houses following an advance in dress ginghams. The general trade for the day was on a moderate scale. Buyers were hampered by a rain storm. They are very plentiful in the market. Export trade is quiet. Yarns are in slightly improved demand, but small purchases are the rule. Initial trade in men's wear is nearly over.

Cotton Region Bulletin.

For the 24 hours ending at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time, August 17, 1909.

STATIONS OF ATLANTA DISTRICT	Temperature Max.	Temperature Min.	Rainfall, inches and hundredths
Atlanta, clear	85	73	.06
xChattanooga, clear	91	72	.19
Gainesville, clear	86	72	.00
xxGreenville, clear	81	69	.33
Griffin, clear	89	69	.00
xMacon, clear	94	74	.06
Monticello, clear	93	72	.45
Newnan, clear	88	72	.00
Rome, clear	92	70	.28
Spartanburg, cloudy	90	69	.50
Tallapoosa, clear	88	70	.10
Toccoa, clear	86	70	.00
West Point, clear	94	75	.00

xFor yesterday. xxFor 24 hours ending 8 a. m., 75th meridian time.

Heavy Rain.

Florence, S. C. .1.56
Wilmington, N. C. .2.24

CENTRAL STATION	Number of stations reporting	District Averages Temperature Max.	Temperature Min.	Rainfall, inches, hundredths
Atlanta	12	90	72	.14
Augusta	10	92	72	.22
Houston	33	100	72	.00
Little Rock	16	104	76	T.
Memphis	16	96	74	.02
Mobile	10	98	76	T.
Montgomery	9	94	74	.16
New Orleans	16	98	76	.00
Oklahoma City	11	106	72	.00
Savannah	18	96	74	.18
Vicksburg	15	98	76	.01
Wilmington	10	86	70	.54

REMARKS—Scattered showers occurred in portions of Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee, Georgia and the Carolinas. Temperatures are decidedly high in Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas, where minimum averages range from 100 to 106 degrees.

C. F. von HERRMANN, Section Irector.

Comparative Port Receipts.

Following were net receipts at the ports on Tuesday, August 17, compared with those of the corresponding day last year:

	1909.	1908.
New Orleans	452	80
Galveston	1,063	9,986
Mobile	636	530
Savannah	210	1,105
Charleston	.....	7
Norfolk	37	37
Totals	2,398	11,745

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

	1909.	1908.
Houston	530	6,089
Memphis	133	24
Augusta	13	173
St. Louis	.....	14
Cincinnati	.....	187
Totals	676	6,487

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS WEDNESDAY

Galveston 25 to 100, against 2,197 last year; New Orleans 1,400 to 1,600, against 415 last year.

Coffee.

New York, August 17.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points in response to the partial decline of ¼ franc in the French market and the record-breaking volume of the primary receipts. Business was very quiet not unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales were reported of 8,500 bags, including exchanges of September for December at 25 points, business in September at 5.50; December at 5.25; July 5.40.

Spot quiet; Rio No. 7, 7¼@7½; Santos No. 4, 8½@9; mild quiet; Cardova 8½@12.

STOCKS LOST EARLY, BUT LATER RECOVERED

Market, However, Was Irregular, Owing to Series of Attacks by the Bears.

New York, August 17.—The reactionary tendency manifested by the stock market yesterday became more pronounced today, with early declines in a majority of the standard issues. Sentiment appeared to have switched around very decidedly, although surface conditions were, for the most part, unchanged. There was a recurrence of rumors regarding the health of a prominent financier, now abroad, and the long-continued drouth in the Nebraska corn belt excited some apprehension. Another factor which militated against a resumption of bullish operations was the belief, prevalent in conservative circles, that the market had been going forward much too rapidly. From the very outset today's market was irregular, chiefly owing to a series of bear attacks, which converged largely around the Harriman issues. The only prominent issues to display steadiness were New York Central and Atchison. Transactions were again very large, with London a reported seller here to the extent of 35,000 shares, chiefly the Harrimans and United States Steel common. There was a general late recovery from the early heaviness which had its inception in a fresh buying movement in Union Pacific. The balance of the active list moved along in sympathy, the net result being gains which ranged from fractions in the Harriman issue to 3 points in Chicago and Northwestern and a point or more in Atchison, New York Central and the steel issues. Illinois Central and Louisville and Nashville did not participate in the recovery, and some of the less active stocks, including American Cotton Oil, registered material losses. Such general news as came to hand later in the day was largely favorable, including the successful conclusion of the Chinese loan, with equal participation by our bankers, and further improvement in the steel and iron trade. There was also a statement from a representative of the interstate commerce commission predicting a revival of the enormous railroad traffic of 1907. In international banking circles there was talk of a resumption of gold exports to Argentina. The money market was very strong, with further indications of a stiffening of sales. Some call loans were again made at 2 1-2 per cent, but this was the maximum figure.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value $3,880,000. Government bonds were unchanged.

Atlanta Bank Clearings.

(Darvin G. Jones, Manager Atlanta Clearing House Association.)

Clearings

Monday $1,087,166 80
Tuesday 916,865 59

Total, two days $2,004,032 39

Treasury Statement.

Washington, August 17.—The condition of the treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows:

Trust Funds: Gold coin, $854,989,869; silver dollars, $486,871,000; silver dollars of 1890, $4,141,000; silver certificates outstanding, $486,871,000.

General Fund: Standard silver dollars in general fund, $5,173,488; current liabilities, $99,813,751; working balance in treasury offices, $33,361,573; in banks to credit of treasurer of the United States, $38,819,943; subsidiary silver coin, $26,161,169; minor coin, $2,120,248; total balance in general fund, $102,480,291.

Money and Exchange.

New York, August 17.—Money on call steady 2 1-4@2 1-2 per cent; ruling rate 2 1-4; closing bids 2 1-4, offered at 2 1-4.

Time loans very strong; 60 days, 3 per cent; 90 days, 3 1-4@3 3-8 per cent; six months, 4 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper, 4 to 4 1-2 per cent.

Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.85.05 @4.85.15 for sixty-day bills and at 4.86.60 for demand.

Commercial bills, 4.84 1-2@4.84 7-8.

Bar silver, 51 1-8.

Mexican dollars, 44.

Government bonds steady.

Railroad bonds irregular.

Foreign Finances.

Berlin, August 17.—Exchange on London 20 marks 44 pfennigs for checks. Money 2 per cent, private rate 3; discount 2 1-8 per cent.

Paris, August 17.—Three per cent rentes 98 francs 12 1-2 centimes for the account. Exchange on London 25 francs 18 1-2 centimes for checks.

London Stock Market.

London, August 17.—American securities opened quiet and about parity. Union Pacific shares were weak, but hardened and at noon the general list was from 1-2 to 7-8 of a point above yesterday's New York closing. Union Pacific was 1-2 lower. Union Pacific led the decline in the afternoon. Later support from New York caused a fair recovery, but the market closed irregular.

London, August 17.—Closing: Consols for money 84 5-16; consols for account 84 3-8.

Illinois Central 164.

Louisville and Nashville 163.

Southern Railway 33 3-8.

Southern Railway preferred 74.

Bar silver quiet, 23 9-16d per ounce.

Money 1-2@3-4 per cent.

Discount for short bills 1 1-4@1 3-8 per cent.

Three months' bills 1 7-16@1 1-2 per cent.

No Exchange Quotations.

New York, August 17.—The practice of the New York Mercantile Exchange, whose deals in butter, cheese and eggs, of fixing the prices of dairy products by what is known as "official quotations" determined upon by a committee of members, will be discontinued under a vote of the exchange today. This method of fixing the prices of farm products was condemned by the investigating committee appointed by Governor Hughes a few months ago, who said that such practices resulted in deceiving buyers and sellers, and recommended that the charter of the exchange be repealed. Under the plan adopted by the members today, no quotations will be made by the exchange, and prices ruling in the dairy markets will prevail.

Sugar and Molasses.

New York, August 17.—Sugar, raw firm; fair refining 3.56@3.61; centrifugal 96-test 4.08@4.11; molasses sugar 3.33@3.36; refined steady; crushed 5.65; powdered 5.05; granulated 4.95.

Molasses dull; New Orleans 28@42.

Liverpool Cotton.

Liverpool, August 17.—Cotton, spot moderate business done; prices 9 points higher; American middling fair, 7.19; good middling 6.83; middling 6.68; low middling 6.47; good ordinary 6.21; ordinary 5.86. The sales of the day were 6,500 bales, all American, of which 300 were for speculation and export. Receipts 7,000 bales, all American. Futures opened quiet and closed steady.

	Opening Range.		Close.	Previous Close.
August	6.39	-6.52½	6.58	6.45¼
Aug-Sept	6.40	-6.43	6.48	6.39¼
Sept-Oct	6.38	-6.40	6.44½	6.36¼
Oct-Nov	6.36¼	-6.40	6.44	6.36½
Nov-Dec	6.37½	-6.39½	6.42¼	6.35¼
Dec-Jan	6.39	-5.38¼	6.43½	6.35½
Jan-Feb	6.36	-6.39½	6.44	6.36
Feb-Mar	6.36	-6.38	6.44	6.36
Mar-Apr	6.38	-6.39½	6.42¾	6.36
Apr-May	6.36	-6.36½	6.43	6.35½
May-June	6.35	-5.38	6.42¼	6.35
June-July	6.35		6.42½	6.35

CROP DAMAGE NEWS MADE WHEAT FIRMER

Opening of Market Was Weak, but Wet Weather Reports Made It Steady.

Chicago, August 17.—Damage reports from North Dakota offset weak cables and caused a steady tone in the wheat market here at the close today. Corn closed weak, oats easy and provisions irregular.

The wheat market opened weak, with prices unchanged to 3-8 lower, owing to a decline of 1-2d at Liverpool. During the greater part of the day sentiment was inclined to the bear side of the market, but in the final hour a firmer feeling developed because of confirmation of reports of damage by wet weather to the wheat crop in the northwestern part of North Dakota. A slump in corn and an easier tone in the market for the cash grain were additional factors that prompted considerable selling. Trade in general was of light volume. The close was steady with prices a shade to 1-8@1-4 higher compared with the previous close.

An official forecast of unsettled weather over the greater part of the corn belt for tonight and tomorrow inspired liberal realizing sales in the corn market, which resulted in declines of approximately 1c in the price of all deliveries. Fresh reports of damage by hot weather were received and at times these advices caused slight rallies. Declines of 1-2 to 1c in the better grades of cash corn and 2c in lower grades were a bearish factor. The market closed weak with the September delivery at the bottom and the future options only a trifle above the low mark.

Oats were inclined to be weak nearly all day, owing to selling brought out by improved weather for harvesting and threshing. Local receipts were considerably in excess of the estimated amount and prices at the sample tables were 1-2 lower. The market was bearishly affected by the slump in corn. The close was easy with prices a shade to 1-4@3-8 lower than yesterday's last quotations.

Provisions manifested considerable strength, particularly the nearby deliveries. Local packers were the principal buyers, presumably against cash sales made overnight. This demand brought out free purchases by shorts. At the close prices were 10 lower to 80 higher, the latter advance being in September pork.

CHICAGO QUOTATIONS.

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
WHEAT—				
Sept	.99¼	1.00	.99¼	.99⅝
Dec	.96¼	.96⅞	.96¼	.96⅝
May	.99⅞	1.00	.99¾	1.00
CORN—				
Sept	.66¼	.66¼	.65	.65⅜
Dec	.56	.56¼	.55¼	.55½
May	.57	.57⅛	.56⅛	.56½
OATS—				
Sept	.38⅜	.38⅝	.38⅛	.38¼
Dec	.38¼	.38¼	.37¾	.37⅞
May	.40½	.40¾	.40⅛	.40⅜
PORK—				
Sept	20.85	21.50	20.85	21.50
Jan	17.40	17.40	17.25	17.30
LARD—				
Sept	11.57½	11.70	11.52½	11.70
Oct	11.50½	11.65	11.47½	11.45
Nov	11.20	11.22½	11.10	11.20
Jan	10.27½	10.27½	10.12½	10.20
RIBS—				
Sept	11.30	11.45	11.30	11.40
Oct	11.05	11.17½	11.00	11.12½
Jan	9.25	9.27½	9.12½	9.20

DAILY MOVEMENT OF PRODUCE.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	18,900	57,900
Wheat, bushels	262,800	297,900
Corn, bushels	296,300	344,000
Oats, bushels	570,000	617,300
Rye, bushels	5,000	1,000
Barley, bushels	1,000	6,700

CAR LOT RECEIPTS.

Wheat 278 cars, with 78 of contract grade; corn 103 cars, with 249 of contract grade; oats 431 cars. Total receipts of wheat at Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth today were 356 cars, compared with 554 cars last year.

GRAIN STATISTICS.

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 152,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 890,000 bushels, compared with 771,000 bushels the corresponding day last year. The world's visible supply, as shown by Bradstreet's, decreased 114,000 bushels. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat 98 cars; corn 175 cars; oats 147 cars; hogs 22,000 head.

Advance in Pig Iron.

Birmingham, Ala., August 17.—No. 1 soft pig iron sold today at $14.50 per ton, which is another 50-cent increase in quotations. The southern furnaces are not making efforts to sell much iron right now, the probable make for several weeks being well sold up.

Wool.

Boston, August 17.—The movement to the mills in the local wool market continued very heavy with no recession of prices. Manufacturers are not quibbling as to rates, but are taking on supplies with apparent haste. The largest dealings are still in territory stock, although a good demand is reported in other lines, while good sales are reported in pulled-in lambs' wool, and the foreign product of the week's business was near the record and the largest in three years. The leading domestic quotations range as follows:

Domestic Wools—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces, XX 35@36; X 33@34; No. 1 washed, 40@41; No. 2 washed, 40@41; fine unwashed, 27@28; fine unmerchantable, 30@31; half blood combing, 35@36; three-eighths blood combing, 35@36; quarter blood combing, 34@35; delaine washed, 39@40; delaine unwashed, 33@34.

Kentucky and Indiana—Three-eighths blood, 34; quarter blood, 32@33.

Scoured Values: Texas, fine, 12 months, 73@75; fine, 6 to 8 months, 68@70; fine, fall, 58@60.

St. Louis, August 17.—Wool firm; medium grades combing and clothing, 22 1-2@29; light fine, 20 1-2@26 1-2; heavy fine, 13 1-2@21; tub-washed, 25@37.

Naval Stores.

Savannah, Ga., August 17.—Turpentine firm at 50 3-4c; sales 483; receipts 943; shipments 336. Rosin firm; sales 2,679; receipts 3,219; shipments 755; stocks 151,718. B, $3.15@3.25; D, $3.40@3.50; E, $3.80@3.85; F, $3.90@3.95; G, $3.95@4.05; H, $4.25; I, $4.35; K, $5.00; M, $5.10; N, $5.25@5.50; window glass, $5.65@5.85; waterwhite, $6.50@6.75.

Charleston, S. C., August 17.—Turpentine quiet at 50 1-4c. Rosin quiet. A, B, C, $3.25; D, $3.45; E, $3.60; F, $3.95; G, $4.00; H, $4.25; I, $4.35; K, $5.00; M, $5.00@5.20; N, $5.20@5.40; window glass, $5.65@5.85; waterwhite, $6.75.

Wilmington, N. C., August 17.—Spirits turpentine steady at 49½; receipts 13 casks. Rosin steady at $2.35; receipts 79. Tar firm at $1.80; receipts 69. Crude turpentine firm at $1.75, $3.10 and $3.50; receipts 74.

Groceries.

(Corrected by Oglesby Grocery Co.)

Atlanta, Ga., August 17.—Coffee: Arbuckle's, per 100 pounds, 7c; green choice 10@11c; No. 7 Rio 9½c. Sugar, standard granulated 5 1-4c; yellow clarified 5c; New York 5c. Salt, 100-pound sacks, 50c; barrel bulk $2.40, ice cream, 200-pound sacks $1.00. Cheese, Alderny brand 17½c; Crackers, soda 6½c. Oysters, full weight $1.75 case. White fish, 60-pound keg $2.75, white fish, 100-pound keg, $4.25. Potash, Giant, $3.25 case; Red Seal, $3.50 case. Peanuts, Virginia handpicked, 6c; North Carolina handpicked 5c. Rice, best crop 7½c. Rope, 4-ply cotton, 18c. Soap, Ivory, $4 case; Polo, $2.30 case; Lenox $3.10; Octagon $3.85 case; Red Letter $1.85 case. Snuff, 1-pound jars, 48c; 10-cent jars Maccaboy, $6.00. Cheroots, Old Virginia, $12.00. Snow Drift 8 3-4c. Axle grease, Diamond $1.75 case; Mica $3.25 case. Baking powder, 1-pound Royal, $4.80 case; ½-pound Royal $5 case; Good Luck $3.75 case. Beans, oil $3.50 case; 3-4-mustard $3.50 case. Corned beef, $3.00 case; Chipped beef, $2.80 case. Van Camp's cream, small, case $2.80. Sardines, mustard, $3.50 case. Salmon, chums, $3.25 case. Sardines 1-4 oil $3.50 case; 3-4 mustard $3.25 case. Tomatoes, 2-pound $1.25 case; 3-pound case, $1.75. Winner brand $4.35 case; Dime brand, $3.75. Grits, 96-lb. bags, $2.00; $1.90 case. Corn, 2-pound, New York, case $1.80. Milk, Eagle brand, $6.50, A. & H. Soda, $3.05. Flour, Postell's Elegant $7.50; Diamond Patent, $6.75; Monogram, $6.25; Red Eagle, $6; Goldend Grain $5.75; Blue Ribbon, $5.50.

New York, August 17.—Flour, receipts 35,443; exports 12,716; dull and about steady; winter straights $4.90@5.15, new; winter extras $4.50@4.80, new; winter, new grades $4.40@4.70.

St. Louis, August 17.—Flour steady; red winter patents $5.00@5.25; extra fancy and straight $4.70@5.00; hard winter clears $4.25@4.55; timothy seed $3.25@3.70. Corn meal $3.30. Bran steady; sacked east track $1.00@1.03; hay steady; timothy $10.00@15.00; prairie $10.50.

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Live Poultry—Hens 35@37½c; chickens 12½@20c; ducks, Pekin 25c; puddle 20c each; turkeys 12½c.

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Produce—Butter (Jersey) 25c per pound; country, demand active, 15@17½c pound. Beeswax active, 28c pound. Honey in 1-pound blocks active, 10@12½c pound; in bulk 9@10c pound.

Eggplants, per crate $1.00. Cucumbers, per crate, $1.25. Tomatoes, per crate, 75c. Peppers, per crate, $1.25. English peas, per drum, $1.50. Corn, per dozen, 10c. Peaches, Georgia, per crate, $1.50@1.75; cantaloupes, per crate, $1.50. Okra, per crate, $1.00. Oranges, per box, $3.50. Pineapples per crate, $2.50. New Irish potatoes, bushel, 80c. Sweet potatoes, 80c. Lemons, per box, $3.50. Bananas, 3c per pound. Cabbages, 1¼c per pound. Onions, per bushel, $1.

Chicago, August 17.—Butter firm; creameries, 23@26 1-2; dairies, 20@23 1-2. Eggs steady; receipts 9,248; at mark, cases included, 18; firsts, 20; prime firsts, 21 1-2. Cheese strong; daisies, 15@15 3-4; twins, 14 1-2@14 3-4; Young Americas, 15 1-2@15 3-4; long horns, 15 1-2@15 3-4. Potatoes easy; choice to fancy, 48 to 50; fair to good, 43 to 45. Poultry steady; turkeys, 15; chickens, 14 1-2; springs, 16.

New York, August 17.—Butter firm; receipts 19,600; creamery, thirds to firsts, 23@26. Cheese steady and unchanged; receipts 9,014. Eggs easy and unchanged; receipts 21,116.

Kansas City, August 17.—Butter, creamery extras, 25; firsts, 23; seconds, 21; packing stock, 19. Eggs, extras, 25; firsts, 21; current receipts, 16; seconds and dirties, 12; southern, loss off, 14.

St. Louis, August 17.—Poultry, chickens, 12; springs, 15 1-2; turkeys, 17; ducks, 9; geese 5. Butter, creamery, 28@27. Eggs, 18 1-2.

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No.	Arrive from—	No.	Depart to—
1.	Brunswick..7:25PM	2.	Brunswick..7:15AM
3.	Brunswick..8:30AM	4.	Brunswick..7:30PM

WESTERN AND ATLANTIC RAILROAD. UNION STATION.

No.	Arrives From—	No.	Depart To—
9	Nashville ... 7:10 am	94	Chicago .... 7:05 am
73	Rome.. .. 8:50 am	3	Nashville ... 8:35 am
93	Nashville .. 11:45 am	93	Nashville .... 4:56 pm
1	Nashville.. .. 7:25 pm	72	Rome ..... 4:55 pm
95	Chicago ..... 8:40 pm	4	Nashville ... 8:50 pm

SOUTHERN RAILWAY—TERMINAL STATION.

No.	Arrives from—	No.	Departs to—
35	New York . 5:00 am	36	New York .12:15 am
43	Wash't'n . 5:25 am	30	Columbus . 5:20 am
13	Jackson.. . 5:25 am	13	Cincinnati. . 5:35 am
13	Shreveport .6:30 am	35	Birming'm . 6:20 am
*17	Toccoa. . . 8:10am	12	Richmond. . 6:55 am
36	Heflin. . . 8:30 am	7	Chat'nooga . 7:20 am
29	Wash'ton .10:30 am	16	Brunsw'k . 7:45 am
8	Chatta'ga .10:35 am	29	Birming'm .10:45 am
7	Macon. . . .10:40 am	38	New York .11:01 am
37	Fort Valley.10:45 am	40	Charlotte .12:06 n'n
21	Columbus . 1:50 am	15	Chat'nooga . 3:00 pm
6	Cincinnati .11:25 am	30	Wash'ton. . 3:45 pm
40	Birming'm . 12:40 pm	39	Birming'm . 4:10 pm
30	Birming'm . 2:30 pm	*18	Toccoa. . . 4:20 pm
39	Charlotte. . 3:55 pm	32	Columbus. . 5:10 pm
37	New York . 5:00 pm	5	Cincinnati . 5:10 pm
15	Brunswick . 8:00 pm	28	Fort Valley. 5:20 pm
11	Richmond . 8:30 pm	25	Heflin . . . 5:30 pm
16	Chat'nooga . 8:35 pm	10	Macon. . . . 5:30 pm
29	Columbus. .10:20 pm	44	Wash'ton. . 8:45 pm
38	Birming'h. .10:45 pm	11	Shreveport .11:10 pm
14	Cincinnati .11:25 pm	14	Jacksonv. . 11:35 pm

Trains marked thus (*) run daily except Sunday. Other trains run daily. Central time.

SEABOARD AIR LINE. UNION STATION.

No.	Arrives From—	No.	Depart To—
37	New York... 6:00 am	37	Birmingham . 6:30 am
57	Athens ..... 8:45 am	37	Memphis .... 6:30 am
60	Birmingham . 11:00 am	52	Charlotte ... 7:00 am
32	Memphis ...11:15 am	32	New York ...11:25 am
33	New York .. 4:00 pm	32	Washington .11:25 am
32	Birmingham .11:15 am	32	Norfolk .....11:25 am
53	Charlotte ... 7:20 pm	33	Birmingham . 4:15 pm
33	Washington . 4:00 pm	33	Memphis .... 4:15 pm
35	Norfolk ..... 4:00 pm	58	Athens ..... 4:30 pm
34	Birmingham . 9:30 pm	51	Birmingham . 4:45 pm
36	Memphis .... 9:30 pm	36	New York .. 9:40 pm
37	Norfolk ..... 6:00 am	36	Norfolk ..... 9:40 pm

GEORGIA RAILROAD. UNION STATION.

No.	Arrive From—	No.	Depart To—
* 3	Augusta.. 6:00 am	* 2	Augusta.. 7:30 am
28	Conyers.. 6:45 am	26	Lithonia. 10:30 am
9	Covington 7:30 am	*26	Augusta... 3:10 pm
*1	Augusta. 12:55 pm	24	Conyers... 5:00 pm
25	Lithonia 1:20 pm	10	Covington. 6:10 pm
*27	Augusta.. 8:40 pm	* 4	Augusta 12:10 n't

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Grosvenor Dawe to Speak.

Washington, August 17.—G. Grosvenor Dawe, managing director of the Southern Commercial Congress, will speak at Chautauqua, N. Y., on Conservation day, August 26. He will take the ground that the whole question of conservation lies at each man's door, and is not merely a contention between one or two men in high positions.

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PAROLE IS FAVORED FOR LIFE CONVICTS

At Session of the Prison Association.

It Is Declared That if Life Prisoner Makes Good Record He Is of More Use to World at Liberty Than Behind Walls.

Seattle, Wash., August 17.—Governor Albert W. Gilchrist, of Florida, was the most notable speaker at the opening session today of the American Prison Association Congress, his subject being "Prison Reform in the South."

Warden F. O. Hellstrom, of the North Dakota penitentiary, spoke on "The Duty of Prison Managements," declaring that they should attempt the reform of the prisoner during his term.

"If a life prisoner has worn the badge of bondage long enough to satisfy the reasonable demands of justice, and to exhaust the deterrent effects of punishment, and if he is safe to be at large, he can be put to better use in the world than to be kept within grim walls until the undertaker is called to rattle his bones over the stones," said Thomas Dudley Wells, of Hartford, Conn., chairman of the committee on parole of life prisoners, in a report to the convention of the American Prison Association Congress today.

Parole for Life Convicts.

"The wisdom of extending the parole system to life convicts who have been convicted of no previous crime involving moral turpitude, and whose record behind locks and bars has been clean and not tainted, is predicated on the fact that a man who is responsive to decent impulses is worth more to the state and to himself out of prison than in prison," continued Mr. Wells' report.

"Life imprisonment implies civil death and discriminating resurrection from that death is both a social gain and an individual gain."

Mr. Wells declared that of the life prisoners who are released by pardon or parole few reengage in crime.

"Criminals by accident and circumstance rather than by design, they are a smaller social menace than the professional offenders who regard the world as a pocket to be picked or a safe to be cracked," said he.

Insanity Among Life Convicts.

The report says that in some states in which the life sentence is rigidly enforced the ratio of insanity among life convicts is nearly three times as great as in the general body of felons, and that only the dictates of social safety justify the state in putting a prisoner's reason in peril.

The report concludes:

"The extension of parole to life prisoners who, according to expert judgment, are safe to be at large, whose offense was born of an overmastering impulse and whose previous record was not vicious, puts in their hands the tools of social rehabilitation, interprets penalties in the terms of humanity and hope, fosters a more even distribution of justice and is a sound public policy."

MOSQUITOES KILLING CATTLE BY THOUSANDS

Gulf Coast Cattle Raisers Suffering Serious Loss on Account of Plague.

Galveston, Texas, August 17.—A plague of mosquitoes is now afflicting the gulf coast, causing serious losses to stock men and heavy falling off in travel to the east.

Cattle by the thousands are traveling miles to the gulf, where they stand in the water starving. At Point Boliver yesterday station hands were forced to flag a train to escape the pests. Passengers are compelled to cover their faces and hands for protection. The use of oil in Galveston has prevented serious annoyance.

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WALTON FOUND GUILTY.

Jury Fixes Penalty at Life Imprisonment.

Meridian, Miss., August 17.—The jury in the trial of B. C. Walton, who shot and killed W. T. O'Flynn, in the Beavers' Club, on June 2, and who entered a plea of insanity, today returned a verdict of guilty as charged, fixing the penalty at life imprisonment. The jury remained out only 20 minutes.

The case was completed this morning, and has consumed fourteen days, during which time over one hundred and fifty witnesses have testified. Attorneys for the defense made a motion for a new trial, which was denied. They will appeal the case to the supreme court.

O'Hara Goes to Higher Court.

Macon, Ga., August 17.—(Special.)—M. O'Hara, proprietor of the European hotel, who was several weeks ago arraigned before Police Recorder Urquhart for alleged violations of the "tiger" ordinance, has appealed his case to a higher court. He was heavily fined at the time he appeared. He has prepared a bill of exceptions, and will go to the state court of appeals.

Benson Resigns.

Hartwell, Ga., August 17.—(Special.) E. B. Benson, a large merchant of Hartwell and this section, and for twenty years president of the Hartwell bank, tendered his resignation today to the board of directors of that institution. He has been connected with that bank since its organization in 1888. It is not known who will succeed him.

Defaulter Sentenced.

Raleigh, N. C., August 17.—George A. Kimball, defaulting cashier of the Southern Pines Citizens' Banking and Trust Company, was arraigned at Carthage today on charges of embezzlement and falsifying books. He pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to the penitentiary for three years. He will begin his sentence at once.

THE SPOT COTTON MARKET.

MARKETS—	Tone.	Middling.	Net Receipts.	Gross Receipts.	Sales.	Stock.
Atlanta	Steady	12 3-8	.....	.....	.....	.....
Galveston	Firm	12 1-4	1,063	1,063	.....	9,279
New Orleans	Firm	12 5-16	452	452	1,150	55,268
Mobile	Firm	12 1-4	636	636	.....	8,731
Savannah	Quiet	12 1-4	210	210	310	9,805
Charleston	Nominal	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,184
Wilmington	Nominal	.....	.....	.....	.....	174
Norfolk	Firm	12 1-2	37	37	124	5,399
Baltimore	Nominal	12 5-8	.....	225	.....	2,575
New York	Quiet	12.80	.....	472	398	97,726
Boston	Quiet	12.80	.....	884	.....	.....
Philadelphia	Quiet	13.05	.....	635	.....	1,543
Totals today			2,398	.....	.....	192,677
do, 3 days			5,722	.....	.....	.....
do, since September 1			2,917,591	.....	.....	.....

Exports—Coastwise—Savannah 71; Norfolk 100.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

MARKETS—	Tone.	Middling.	Net Recpts.	Gross Recpts.	Shipments.	Sales.	Stock
Houston	Steady	12 3-8	530	530	1,027	255	14,805
Augusta	Steady	12 5-8	13	13	448	7	4,382
Memphis	Nominal	12 1-4	133	293	803	25	10,422
St. Louis	Steady	12 3-8	.....	142	205	.....	13,255
Cincinnati	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	12,441
Louisville	Firm	12 3-8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Little Rock	Quiet	11 3-4	6	6	17	.....	3,113
Totals today			682	1,089	2,515	317	58,428

THE RANGE OF COTTON OPTIONS.

RANGE IN NEW YORK COTTON.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Aug	.....	.....	.....	12.35-37	12.20-22
Sept	12.24	12.30	12.21	12.30-32	12.17-19
Oct	12.22	12.30	12.18	12.25-30	12.14-15
Nov	12.21	12.21	12.21	12.28-29	12.12-13
Dec	12.18	12.29	12.18	12.28	12.11 12
Jan	12.20	12.28	12.15	12.26-27	12.08-09
Feb	.....	.....	.....	12.25-26	12.07-08
Mar	12.21	12.28	12.16	12.27-28	12.09-10
Apr	.....	.....	.....	12.27-28	12.09-10
May	12.21	12.28	12.18	12.28-29	12.10-11

Closed strong.

RANGE IN NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Aug	.....	.....	.....	12.80	12.17
Sept	.....	.....	.....	12.30	12.11
Oct	12.20	12.29	12.15	12.28-29	12.07
Nov	.....	.....	.....	12.28-30	12.06-08
Dec	12.15	12.25	12.12	12.24-25	12.03-04
Jan	12.17	12.28	12.15	12.28-29	12.06-07
Feb	.....	.....	.....	12.31-33	12.10-12
Mar	12.35	12.40	12.35	12.40-42	12.20-22
Apr	.....	.....	.....	12.42-44	12.21-23
May	.....	.....	.....	12.45-47	12.26-28

Closed very steady.

STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Allis-Chal pfd.	53½	53½	53	53¾
Amal Copper	86½	85	86½	85⅝
Amer Agric'l	48½	48¼	48½	47½
Am Beet Sugar	45	44¼	44⅝	44½
Am Can pfd	84⅝	84⅛	84¼	84½
Am Car and F	67	65⅝	66⅜	66½
Am Cotton Oil	74	73⅝	73⅝	74
Am H and L pfd.	50½	49½	50	50¼
Am Ice Sec.	35⅝	32½	34	35⅛
Am Linseed	.....	.....	16	16
Am Locomotive	65½	63¾	64¼	64¾
Am S and Ref	102⅜	100¼	101¾	101
do pfd	115½	114⅝	115	115¼
Am Sugar Ref	132	131½	131¼	131½
Am Tel and Tel.	141⅞	140⅞	141¼	141½
Am Tob pfd	101½	101½	101½	101½
Am Woolen	38⅝	37⅞	38	38
Anaconda M Co	49⅜	48¾	44	49¼
Atchison	120⅝	118⅛	20¼	118¾
do pfd	.....	.....	104⅝	104⅝
Atlantic C L	139½	138	138⅜	138
B and O	118⅜	117⅝	118⅜	118¼
do pfd	.....	.....	93	93½
Bethlehem Steel	32	31⅝	32	31¾
B R T	79⅜	78¾	79½	79
Canadian Pac	185¾	185⅜	185⅜	185⅜
Cen Leather	39⅞	38¾	39	39⅝
do pfd	109⅛	109⅛	109	109
Central of N J	.....	.....	310	305
Ches and Ohio	82⅝	81½	82½	82½
Chi and Alton	.....	.....	66⅔	65
Chi Gt West'n	3½	2¾	2⅞	3
Chi and N W	108¼	194½	108	195
Chi, M and St P	160⅜	158⅝	159¾	159⅛
C, C, C and St L	.....	.....	74	75¾
Colo Fuel and I	45½	44¾	45½	45¼
Colo and South.	54½	54½	54½	54½
do 1st pfd	82	82	81⅞	82
do 2d pfd	.....	.....	80¼	80¼
Con Gas	146	144¼	145⅛	144¾
Corn Prod	23¾	23	23	23⅝
Dela and Hud.	195¼	194½	195½	195¼
Den and Rio G	50	48½	49⅝	49⅛
do pfd	87½	87½	87⅛	87½
Distillers' Sec	.....	.....	38⅜	38¼
Erie	37⅜	36½	37¼	36⅝
do 1st pfd	55½	54½	55	54⅞
do 2d pfd	44½	43¼	43¾	43
General Elec	169½	168	168½	168¾
Gt North'n pfd.	156½	154¾	154	156
Gt Northern Ore ctfs	84⅛	84⅜	85½	85⅜
Illinois Cen	160	157⅝	158½	159⅛
Interboro Met	14½	14	14⅜	14½
do pfd	47½	46	47½	46⅝
Inter Har	88⅜	88	88	88⅛
Inter Mar pfd	22¼	22¼	21½	21⅛
Int'l Paper	18	17⅛	17½	19¼
Int'l Pump	41½	40⅜	41	41
Iowa Central	31⅝	31	31	31½
K C S	48⅜	46½	48	47⅛
do pfd	74⅝	73¾	74	74
L and N	159¼	157	158¼	158
Minn and St L	54	54	52	52
Minn, St P and Sault Ste M	144	144	144	143½
Missouri Pac	75	74¼	74¾	74
M, K and T	42	41	41½	42
Nat'l Biscuit	.....	.....	106½	106½
Nat'l Lead	92¾	91½	92¼	92⅝
Nat'l Rys of Mex 1st pfd	53	52½	52⅞	52½
N Y Central	147	145	146½	145⅜
N Y, Ont and W	50	49¼	49⅜	49⅜
Norfolk and W	95	94⅝	94⅜	94½
North Amer	83⅝	83	83¼	83½
Northern Pac	158¼	156⅜	158	157⅛
Pacific Mail	.....	.....	31½	31¼
Pennsylvania	142⅞	141½	142¾	142⅝
People's Gas	118½	117⅛	118¼	118¼
P, C, C and St L	.....	.....	91½	91½
Press Steel Car	50⅜	49	50	50
Pull Pal Car	.....	.....	196	195
Ry Steel Spring	49	48	49	47¾
Reading	165⅜	163⅛	164⅝	164⅜
Republic Steel	38⅞	38	38¾	38⅝
do pfd	107	105⅝	106¼	107
Rock Island Co.	41¼	39¾	40⅜	40⅞
do pfd	80	78¾	79	79⅝
St L and San Fran 2d pfd	55¼	55	55	55
St L Southw'n	26⅞	26⅞	26¾	26⅞
do pfd	67⅛	66⅞	66⅞	67⅜
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and I	85½	84⅝	85	85¼
Southern Pac	137⅞	135⅝	137⅜	137
Southern Ry	32¾	32¼	32¾	32½
do pfd	73	72	72¾	71½
Tenn Copper	39⅛	38⅞	38¾	39
Texas and Pac	36⅜	35	36¾	35⅝
Tol, St L and W	56½	51½	51½	52¼
do pfd	71¼	70	71	70½
Union Pac	215⅝	210¾	214¾	214¾
do pfd	113½	110¼	112½	112
U S Realty	82	82¾	82½	82½
U S Rubber	53¼	50	53	50⅜
U S Steel	78¼	76⅜	77⅞	76¾
do pfd	126¼	125¼	126	125⅛
Utah Copper	52½	52	52	52
Va-Car Chem	49	48	48¼	48
Wabash	21	20⅝	20⅞	21¼
do pfd	56¾	54¾	55½	56⅝
Western Md	5⅜	5¼	5½	5⅜
Westingh'e Elec	86	85⅞	85⅞	85½
Western Union.	73¾	73⅜	73¼	73½
Wheel and L E	.....	.....	7½	7½
Wisconsin Cen.	56⅜	56¾	55	55

Total sales for day, 1,112,100 shares.

Stocks recording sales of 10,000 and more shares were:

Amalgamated Copper	27,700
Atchison	61,700
Chesapeake and Ohio	14,200
Chicago, Milwaukee and St Paul	22,000
Great Northern preferred	12,700
New York Central	51,400
Northern Pacific	15,200
Pennsylvania	20,700
Reading	150,500
Rock Island	27,200
Southern Pacific	102,400
Union Pacific	152,400
Union Pacific, preferred	20,700
United States Rubber	10,300
United States Steel	191,500

BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	100¾
do. coupon	100¾
do. 3s, registered	101
do. coupon	101
do. 4s, registered	116
do. coupon	118
Allis-Chalmers 1st 5s	86
American Agricultural 5s, bid	101¾
American Tel. and Tel. cv. 4s	104⅞
American Tobacco 4s	80¾
do. 6s, bid	111⅝
Armour & Co 4½s	94
Atchison gen. 4s	100¾
do. cv. 4s	119⅛
do. cv. 5s	119
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s, bid	96
Baltimore and Ohio 4s	100⅝
do. 3½s, bid	93¾
Baltimore and S. W. 3½s	91
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	86½
Central of Georgia 5s, bid	11
Central Leather 5s	100¾
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s, bid	127
Chesapeake and Ohio 4½s	104
do. ref. 5s	101½
Chicago and Alton 3½s, bid	76
Chicago, B. and Quincy joint 4s	98½
do. gen. 4s	99¾
Chicago, M. and St. P. gen. 3½s	90
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. R. R. col. 4s	80⅞
do. col. 5s	93½
Chi., R. I. and Pac. Ry. rfg. 4s	91⅞
Colorado Industrial 5s	82½
Colorado Midland 4s, bid	84
Colorado and S. ref. and ext. 4½s	99½
Delaware and Hudson cv. 4s	106½
Denver and Rio Grande 4s, bid	97⅝
do. ref. 5s	95⅝
Distillers 5s	76¾
Erie prior lien 4s	89½
do. Gen. 4s	78½
do. 4s, series A, asked	88½
do. 4s, series B	78½
General Electric cv. 5s	154
Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s, bid	99½
Interborough Met. 4½s	82¾
Inter Merc. Marine 4½s	70
Japan 4s, asked	86⅝
do. 4½s	94⅜
Kansas City S. 1st 3s, bid	74
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	94⅜
Louisville and Nash. Un. 4s	100⅜
Missouri, Kan. and Tex. 1st 4s	100¾
do. gen. 4½s, bid	91
Missouri Pacific 4s	83⅜
Nat'l Rys. of Mex. 4½s, asked	94⅛
N. Y. Central gen. 3½s, asked	91⅛
do. deb. 4s	.....
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford cv. 6s	138⅝
Norfolk and West. 1st con. 4s, bid	100
do. cv. 4s	102
Northern Pacific 4s	103⅛
do. 3s	74
Oregon Short Line rfdg. 4s	94⅝
Pennsylvania cv. 3½s (1915)	98⅛
do. Con. 4s	104⅝
Reading gen. 4s	100⅝
St. L. and San Fran. fg. 4s	86¼
do. gen. 5s	9
St. Louis Southwestern con. 4s	79
do. 1st gold 4s, bid	9
Seaboard Air Line 4s, bid	89½
Southern Pacific col. 4s	92
do. cv. 4s	108
Southern Pacific R. R. 1st ref. 4s	
Southern Railway 5s, bid	112½
do. gen. 4s	82⅛
Union Pacific 4s	103⅛
do. 1st and ref. 4s	99¼
U. S. Rubber 6s	105
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	106¾
Virginia-Carolina Chemical 5s	
Wabash 1st 5s	113
do. 1st and ext. 4s	76⅞
Western Maryland 4s	85½
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s, bid	94½
Wisconsin Central 4s, bid	95¾

quiet today. Professionals were bearish, but afraid to hammer the market, owing to damage reports from North Dakota, and it averaged steady all day, closing 1-4c net higher. September closed at $1.08 1-4, December at $1.05, May at $1.06 3-4. Corn, receipts 7,879; exports 830. Spot market easy; No. 2 yellow, nominal, elevator; 81-2c delivered; No. 2 mixed 62 7-8c, winter shipment. Option market was without transactions. September closed at 73 7-8c, December at 66c. Oats, receipts 56,425; spot steady; natural white 26@32 pounds, 47 1-2@50c; clipped white, 34@42 pounds, 52@58 1-2c.

Chicago, August 17.—Cash: Wheat, No. 2 red $1.04@1.05; No. 3 red 95c@$1.03; No. 2 hard $1.04@1.05; No. 3 hard 95c@$1.04; No. 2 northern $1.04@1.05. Corn, No. 2, 68@70c; No. 2 white 71 1-2@71 3-4c; No. 2 yellow 70 1-2@71 1-4c; No. 3, 68@70c; No. 2 white 71 1-2@71 3-4c; No. 2 yellow 70 1-2@71 1-4c; No. 3, 69@70c; No. 3 white 70 1-2@71 1-4c; No. 3 yellow 70 1-2@71c; No. 4, 64@69 1-2c. Oats No. 3 white 38@39c; No. 4 white 38c; standard 39@39 1-4c.

Close—Wheat, September 99 5-8@99 3-4c; December 95 5-8@95 3-4c. Corn, September 65 3-8c; December 55 1-2c. Oats, September 38 1-4c; December 37 7-8@38c. Rye, cash 67 1-2@70c; September 66@68c. Barley, cash 48@64c. Timothy, September $3.70. Clover, cash $11.70; September $12.50.

St. Louis, August 17.—Wheat, No. 2 red $1.03@1.08 1-2; No. 2 hard $1.01@1.08 1-2; September 99 1-2@99 5-8; December 97 3-4. Corn, No. 2 cash 67c; September 65 1-4c; December 53 3-8c; No. 2 white 69@69 1-2c. Oats, No. 2 cash 38c; September 37 5-8c; December 37 3-4c; No. 2 white 40 1-4c. Receipts: Flour 15,000, wheat 240,000, corn 63,910, oats 115,200. Shipments: Flour 14,600, wheat 106,200, corn 136,300, oats 99,500.

Fruits and Vegetables.

Atlanta, August 17.—Bananas per pound, 3c. Eggplants, per crate, $1.25. Tomatoes, per crate, $1. Peppers, per crate, $1.25@1.50. Okra, per crate, $1. Grapefruit, fancy 35s, 48c; 54s and 64s $4, and smaller sizes, $3. Irish potatoes, bushels, 80c. Pineapples, per crate, $2.50. Oranges, all sizes.

Provisions.

(Corrected by Nelson Morris & Co.)

Dry salt extras	12.22½
Dry salt loin backs	12.35
Dry salt bellies	12.87½
Supreme lard, basis	12c
Supreme bacon	21
Purity Compound	7⅛

Chicago, August 17.—Short ribs, sides (loose) $11.30@11.45; short clear sides (boxed) $11.62½@11.75.

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Atlanta, Ga., August 17.—No. 1 hay $1.10, C oats 60c; W oats 55c; No. 2 corn W 96c; bran, per 100 pounds, $1.45; No. 2 W shorts, 75 pounds, $1.80; B shorts $1.60; hulls $9.00; cotton seed meal $32. Yellow corn 93c; winter 97c.

Kansas City, August 17.—Cash: Wheat, No. 2 hard $1.04@1.10; No. 2 red 97c@1.06 1-2. Corn, No. 2 mixed 63c; No. 2 white 65 1-2@66c. Oats, No. 2 white 42@44c; No. 2 mixed 38@40c.

Close—Wheat, September 93 5-8c; December 91 3-4c; May 95 5-8@95 3-4c. Corn, September 61@61 1-8c; December 52 1-4@52 3-8c; May 54 1-8@54 1-4c. Receipts, Wheat 155,000, corn 24,000, oats 13,000. Shipments: Wheat 102,000, corn 161,000; oats, none.

New York, August 17.—Wheat, receipts 9,600; spot steady; No. 2 red, new $1.10, nominal, elevator, and $1.11 3-4 f.o.b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, old $1.41 5-8, nominal, f.o.b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, new $1.12 5-8, nominal, f.o.b. afloat. Trade in wheat was very

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